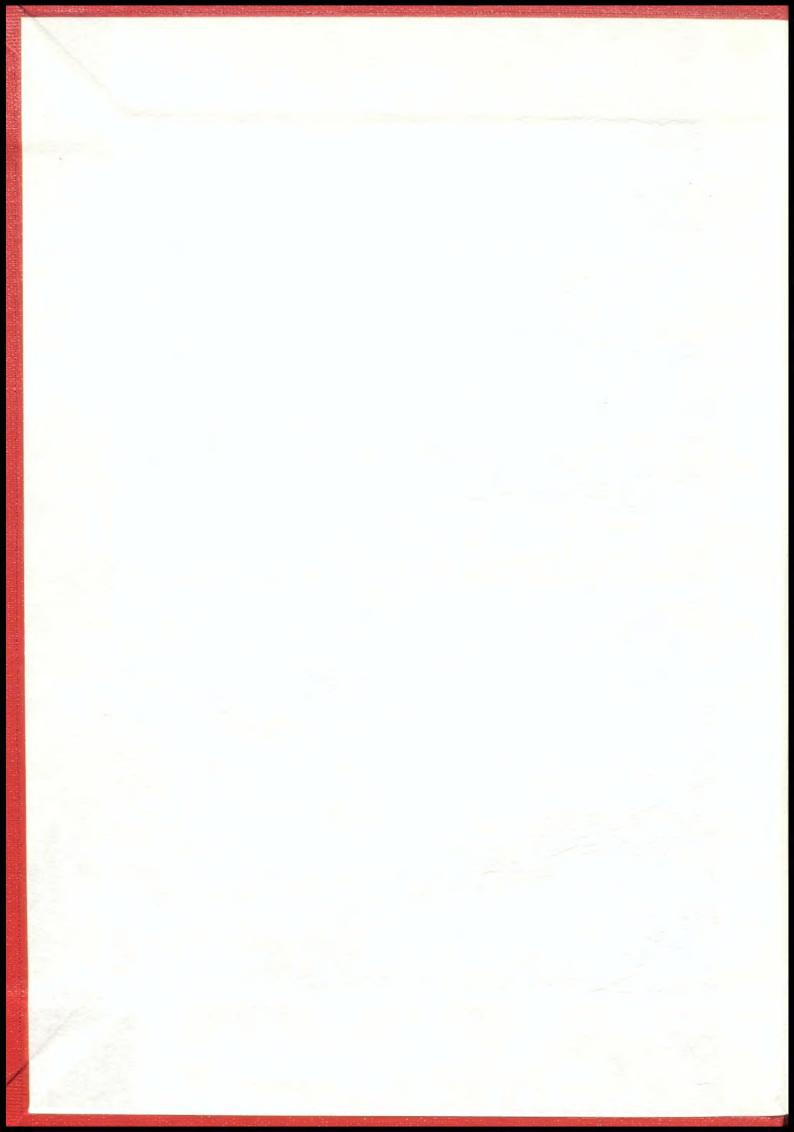
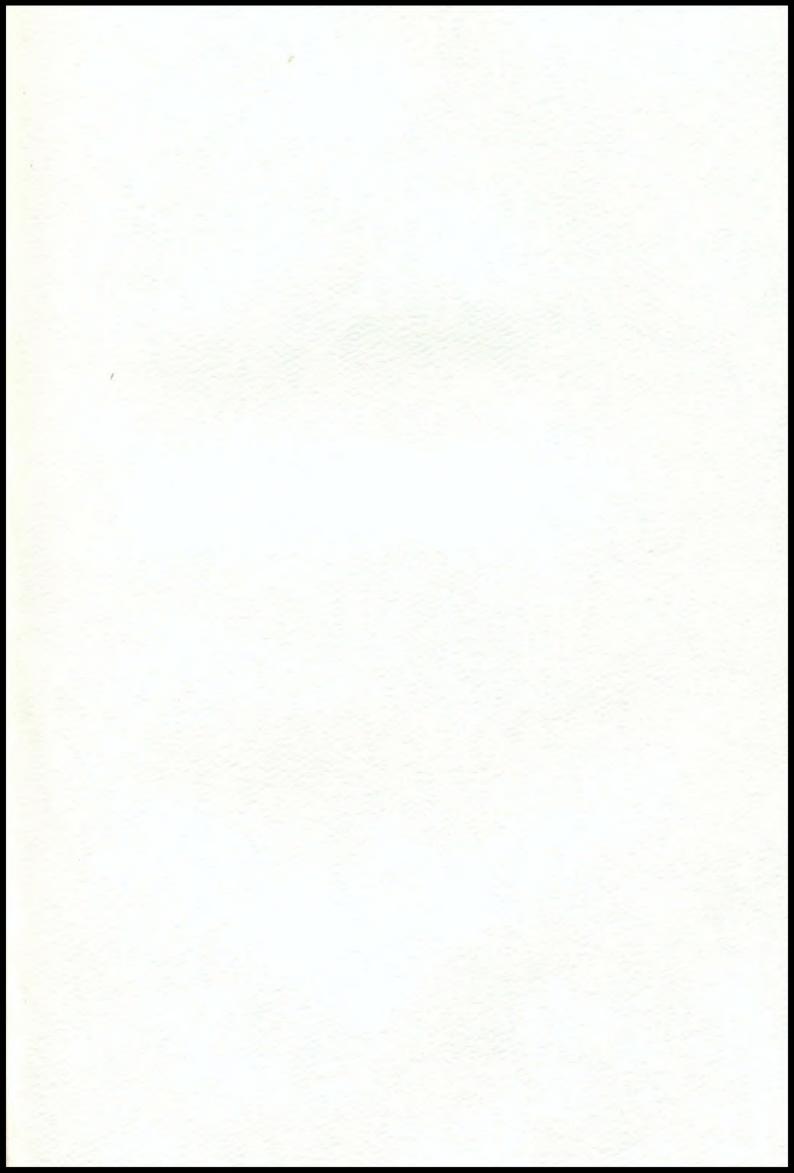
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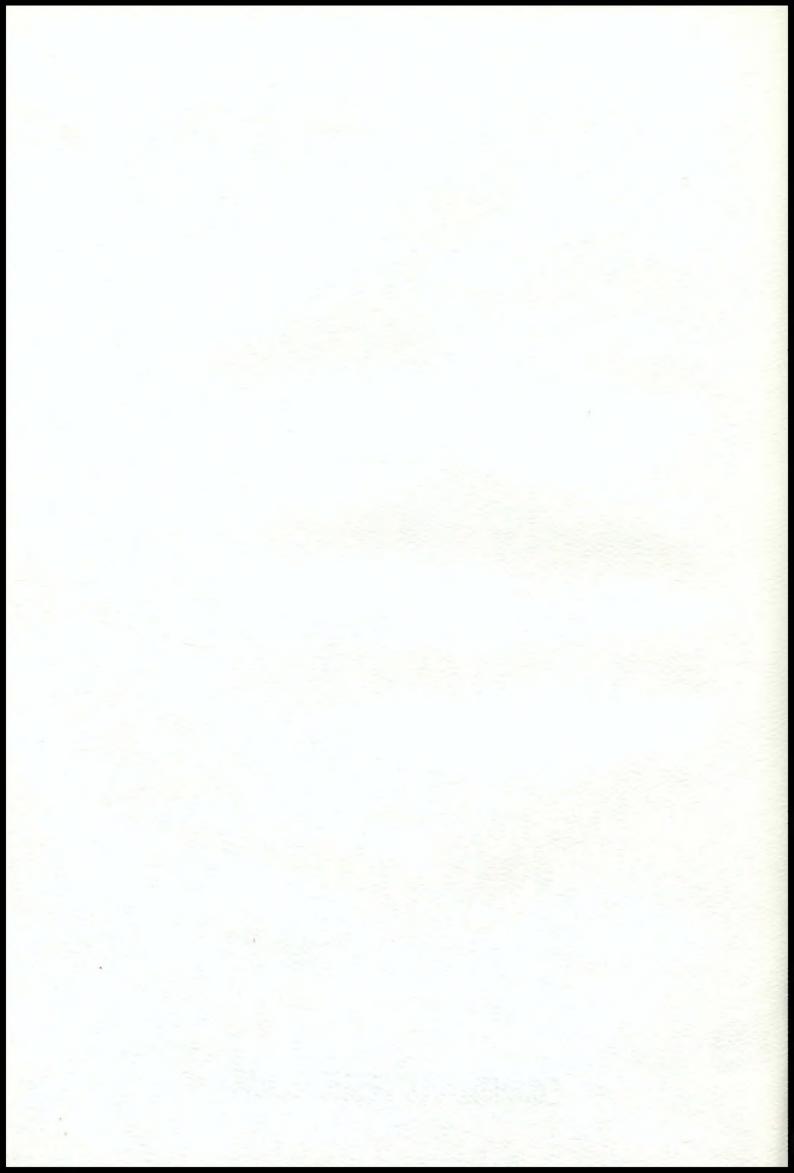


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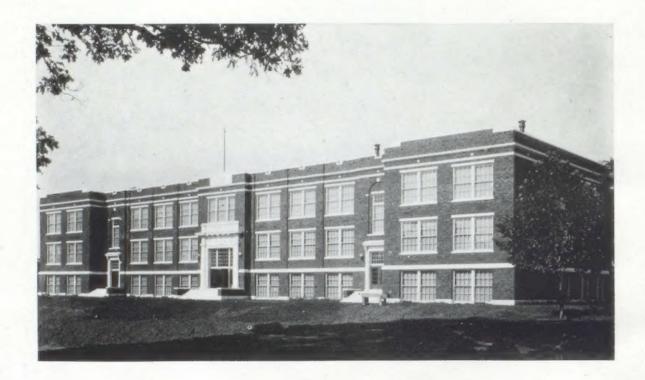






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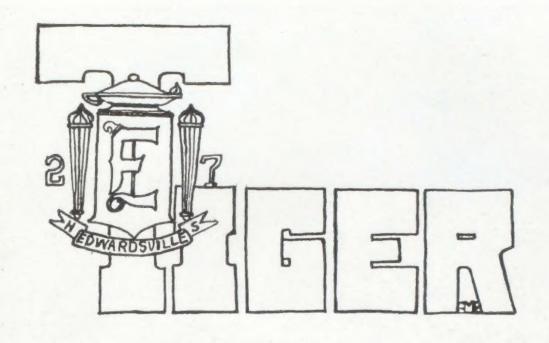
Our Alma Mater! We say "our" because we, the class of '27, feel that during our stay, however brief, we have acquired a certain degree of possession which nothing can remove!

We leave behind us the school actual, the school of brick, stone, and mortar; but we carry with us the real school, the school made up of school spirit, reminiscence and fond memories, memories of triumphs and disasters, of school fellows and teachers, and all who have won their way into our hearts.

So we feel that these two schools, that of mind and that of matter, are so inseparable, that as we keep alive the likeness of one we honor that of the other. To do this, we the class of '27, have attempted to represent the best of our beautiful school by the gleaming portals by which we first entered, and by which we last leave. Thus it happens that their image lies engraved on the shanks of our rings, on the covers of our Annual, and last and more lastingly in the depths of our emotions.

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Editorial

In fostering the publication of an Annual worthy to be called The Tiger, the staff has met with many and various obstacles. Foremost among these has been the matter of finances—the "jinx" of many Tiger Editors.

In order to draw as closely as possible the daily drama of our pulsing High School and yet keep within the dread limit, we have been forced to omit many gaudy and expensive features and to resort to utter simplicity in many respects. If you, our critics, our faculty, and our friends, feel after perusing the following pages, that this simplicity has not been utilized in vain, we shall know that we have succeeded in accomplishing our duty.

For our duty as we saw it, lay in the necessity in giving this annual our time, attention and the best of our talents, in adapting our viewpoints to suit yours and in interpreting and setting down in so many lines the truest and the best of Edwardsville High School.

This has taken much work but if you believe that this book can, in later years, open to you a vista of half-forgotten bright spots of your High School career, then we shall feel satisfied and amply repaid.

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Acknowledgments

To the various teachers, students, and friends who have aided the Staff to write, compile, and assemble the enormous amount of copy necessary to the publication of any Annual, we desire to express our thanks and appreciation.

Primarily, we wish to express our gratitude and appreciation to the Central Engraving Company for their excellent engraving and especially to Mr. Randall, who supervised and aided us in many ways in the planning of our Annual.

It is not every Annual Staff that has the co-operation of the faculty. We were especially fortunate in this, having Mr. Krumsiek for the faculty advisor, who always rendered us so much valuable assistance. Other members of the faculty also aided us in correcting, revising and making of copy. Prominent among these were Miss Gewe and Miss Martin.

In order to transcribe the necessary copy into legible form, Emily Berner, Marian Wotier and Frieda Schneider volunteered to do the typing. This was a very painstaking and tedious occupation and much credit is due them because of the splendid way in which they handled the work.

Then the members of the various classes who wrote the class histories and other articles in this issue, deserve much credit for their extremely interesting accounts. Without their aid we should have failed in our ultimate effort.

To Mr. Strebler, our official class photographer, who has submitted a firstclass grade of photography and has willingly and cheerfully aided us whenever we required assistance, we wish to make a special note of gratitude.

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Foreword

We, the Tiger Staff of '27, wish to make known in these few words our steadfast and sincere intention to set forth and preserve in this, the 14th volume of the Tiger, a true picture of our school life, as well as to provide a record that will materially aid the class of '27 to remember in later years, the triumphs, the disasters, and the attachments formed during this basic cycle of their lives.

as The Tiger of the Tiger

Dedication

To MR. HARVEY B. GUNN:

In appreciation of his deep interest and personal participation in our various school activities and athletics, and his cheerful willingness to aid us individually at all times, we, the class of 1927, dedicate this Tiger.

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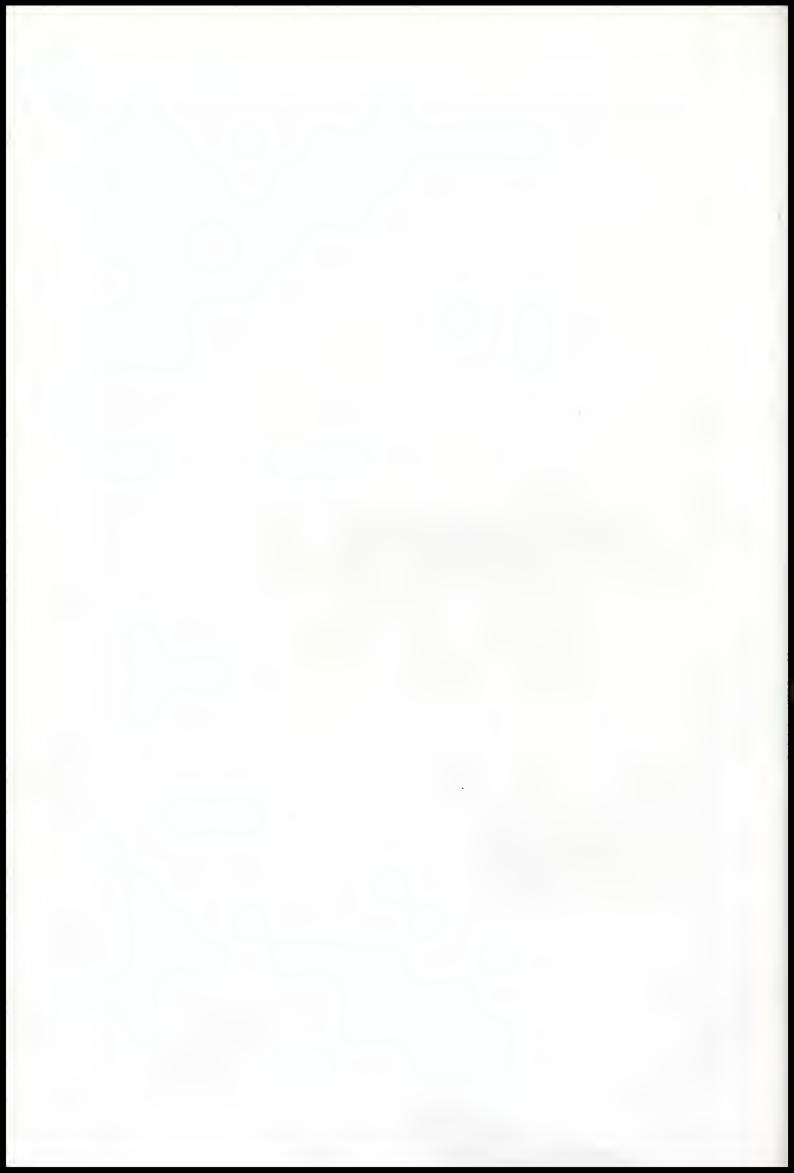
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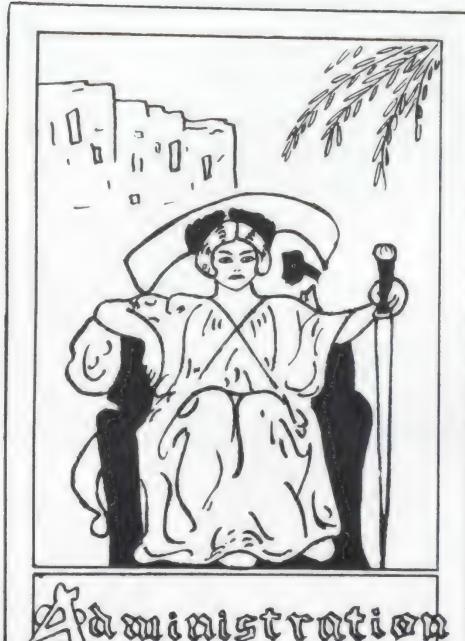
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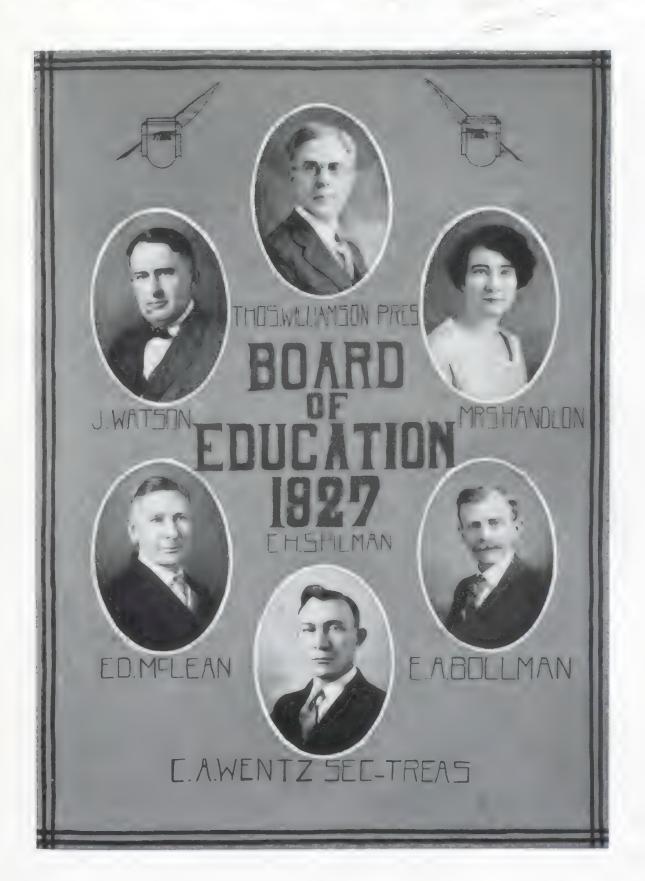




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Mr. Ford

Mr. Ford has been the head of the Edwardsville Public Schools for a number of years. His work has been thorough and progressive. He raised the standards of the High School in 1913 to make it a member of the North Central Association of Secondary Schools and Colleges of which Organization we have been a continuous member since. He is well liked and is considerate of all.

Mr. Krumsiek

Through the untiring efforts of our principal the Edwardsville High School has made steady strides of advancement along every line, his work being accredited by the state inspectors as among the most efficient in the state. The students have learned to appreciate his methods of straight forward dealings and his spirit of fair play has always been evident.



DARRELL BLODGET

Assistant Principal
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The duties of Assistant Principal need little explanation. In the absence of Mr. Krumsiek, Mr. Blodget takes charge of our daily routine. We wish to take these few words to express our admiration of the way in which he has handled these duties in the past.

VERA BENNER

Dean of Girls
Mathematics
Illinois Woman's College, A.B.

As Dean of Girls Miss Benner has accomplished much in regard to the individual welfare of the High School Girls. As a Faculty member directly supervising the associations and recreations of the girls, Miss Benner has been more than successful. This could be not otherwise considering her pleasing personality, massuming attitude, kindness and sympathy.





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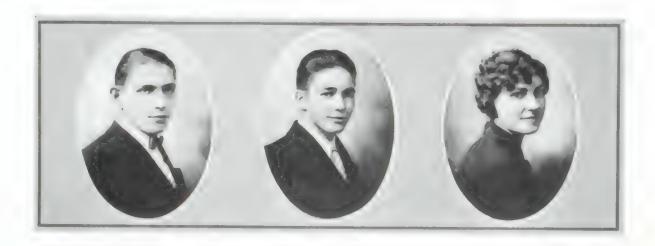
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CLASS MOTTO

The elevator to success is not running

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Pink and White

CLASS FLOWER

Sweet Pea

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REBECCA ALLEN

Fain would I. but I dare not; I dare, and yet I may not; I may although I care not; For pleasure when I play not.

Glee Club, '25-'26 Athletic Ass'n, '25 Hockey, '26-'27

HENRY ARMSTRONG

Is this that haughty, gallant, gay Lothario?

Webster Groves High School 24-25 Bexly High Schol, '26 Operetta, '27 Senior Play

EMILY BERNER

I'se wicked, I'se is, I'se mighty wicked, but I can't help it.

Glee Club, '24-'25 Tiger Staff, '27 Girls Council, '25-'26-'27 (Pres, '27) Hockey, '27 "Green Stockings" Sophomore Sec. Trens

BEULAH BOLD

Meet me by the moonlight-alone!

French Club, '26-'27 Glee Club, '26-'27 Athletic Ass'n, '25-'26-'27 Tennis Club, '26

VERNA BOLLMAN

And gladly would she learn; and gladly teach.

Glee Club. '23 Athletic Ass'n, '26

ELSIE BORMAN

Merrily, merrily shall I live.

Girls' Council. '24 Athletic Ass'n. '24 '25 '26 '27 Girl Scouts. '24 '25 '26 Hiking Club. '24 Glee Club. '24 Hockey Club, '26





CLEMENT BOTHMAN

One of the Great Twin Brethren for whom the maidens pray.

Athletic Ass'n, 24 '25 '26 Basketball, '24 '25 '26 Football, '24 '25 '26

CLYDE BOTHMAN

"That goes for me too."

Athletic Ass'n, '24 '25 Boys' Council, '25 Class President, '25 Vice-President, '24 Baseball, '25-'26 Basketball, '24 '25 '26 Football, '24 '25 (Capt, '26)

LAURA BOYER

The fair, the chaste, the unexpressive she.

Athletic Ass'n, '25 Glee Club, '25

HERBERT BROCKMEIER

He was a very perfect gentil knight.

Athletic Ass'n, '24 '25 Senior Play

BEULAH BRUNWORTH

Have you not heard it said full 'oft A woman's nay doth stand for naught?

Girl Scouts, '24-'25-'26 Hockey, '26 Hiking Club, '24 Athletic Ass'n, '24-'26 "Green Stockings" Sec'y-Treas, '26 Senior Play

GORDON BURROUGHS

For a man is by nothing so well betrayed as by his manners.

Athletic Ass'n, 124 125 126 127 Orchestra, 124 125 126 127 French Club, 126-127

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LUCILLE CLIFFORD

A fair exterior is a silent recommendation.

Glee Club, [25][26] Girl Scouts, [24][25][26][27]

FERN DAUDERMAN

The very flower of youth.

Alhambra High School
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MICHAEL DUFFY

A lion among ladies is a most dreadful thing.

Senior Play Athletic Ass'n, '24 '25 '27 Class Pres., '24 Boy's Council, '26 Baseball, '25-'26 Junior Play, '26 Pres. Athletic Ass'n, '27

MARY EATON

Who rightly should possess a poet's brain.

Senior Play Girl Scouts, 124 125 126 127 Glee Club, 124 125 126 127 Hiking Club, 125 126 French Club, 127 Orchestra, 127 Debating, 127 Hockey, Volley, 127 Tiger Staff, 127 Girls' Council, 126-127

ERWIN ENGLEMAN

Why so pale and wan fond lover?

Athletic Ass'n, '24-'25 Glee Club, '27 Operetta, '27

CHARLES ERSPAMER

If she undervalue me. What care I how fair she be?

Athletic Assin, '24-'25-'26-'27 Boy's Council, '25 Track, '26 Football, '25-'26 Class Pres., '26 Junior Play Baseball, '25-'26 Tiger Staff Senior Play





HEDWIG FAHRIG

Who ever loved that loved not at first sight?

Athletic Ass'n, '24-'25-'26 Girl Scouts, '24-'25 Glee Club, '24-'25 Tennis Club, '24

GLADYS FARRAR

The maid who modestly conceals Her beauties, while she hides, reveals. Athletic Ass'n, '26-'27

BRUCE FIEGENBAUM

But to see HER was to love her. Love but her and love forever.

Senior Play Class Pres., '27 Athletic Ass'n, '24 '25-'26 '27 Tennis Club, '25 Football, '25 '26 '27 Junior Play Sophomore Play, '25

MARIE FIELDS

A woman of her gentle sex—a seeming paragon.

Hiking Club, '24 Athletic Ass'n, '26-'27 Glee Club, '24-'25

DOROTHY FINK

She's pretty therefore to be wooed, She's woman therefore to be won.

Hockey, '26 Girls' Council, '24 Senior Play Girl Scouts, '24-'25 '26 '27 Athletic Ass'n, '24-'25 '26 '27 Hiking Club, '24 Glee Club, '24

ROY FRUIT

Sigh no more ladies, sigh no more!

Athletic Ass'n, '24 '25 '26 '27 Junior Play Cheer Leader, '26 Baseball, '26 Glee Club, '26 '27 Sophomore Play Operetta, '27 Tiger Staff

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MINNIE GEHRING

I must have liberty!

LAURETTA GERNE

In her was blended in like degree, the vixen and the devotee.

Glee Club, '24-'25 Athletic Ass'n, '24 '25 '26 Orchestra, '24-'27 Junior Play Tiger Staff

MILDRED HEINRICH

Of manner gentle and affection mild.

Athletic Ass'n, '24-'25 '26-'27 Glee Club, '24 Girls' Council, '27

PAUL HESS

Gee, I wish I had a girl!

Glee Club, '27 Athletic Ass'n, '25-'26-'27 Junior Play Senior Play

JULIA HODINA

They are only great, who are truly good.

Glee Club, '24-'25 Athletic Ass'n, '27

PAUL HOFMEIER

Men of few words are the best men.

Orchestra, '24-'25 Athletic Ass'n, '24-'25-'26-'27





JOSEPH JOHNSON

Why should life all labor be? Athletic Ass'n, '24-'25-'26-'27

MABEL JOHNSON

A quiet and demure little maid.

Athletic Ass'n, '24 '25 '26 '27 Glee Club, '24 '25 Sophomore Play

ADELINE KRIEGE

Bewitching, daring and sweet.

Hockey, '27 Athletic Ass'n, '24-'25-'26-'27 Orchestra, '25 Glee Club, '24-'25-'26-'27 French Club, '26-'27 (Pres, '27) Junior Play Operetta

IDA KRUSE

I am sure care's an enemy to life.

Athletic Ass'n, '25-'26-'27
Glee Club, '24-'25

LEON LAMKIN

I dare do all that becomes a man, who dares do more is none.

Athletic Ass'n, '24-'25-'26-'27 Football, '26 Basketball, '27

BERNICE LANGREDER

Sincere, steadfast and sensible. Athletic Ass'n, '26

ARLENE LONG

Life's just a jest and all things show it, I thought so once, and now I know it.

Athletic Ass'n, '24 '25 '26 '27 French Club, '26 '27 Hiking Club, '25 '26 Glee Club, '24 '25 High School Sextette Junior Play Senior Play

MILDRED MACHA

Whose words the senses took captive

Debating Club, '27 Glee Club, '24-'25-'27 Hiking Club, '21-'26-'27 Athletic Ass'n, '24-'25-'26-'27 Tennis, '26 Hockey, '26 Girl Scouts, '24-'25-'26-'27 (Chairman '27) Tiger Staff Senior Play

ALICE MANSFIELD

There's a woman at the beginning of all great things.

Athletic Ass'n, '26

GENEVIEVE McKEE

She is pretty to walk with, witty to talk with, and pleasant to think on.

Athletic Ass'n, '24 '25 '26 '27 Glee Club, '24-'25 French Club, '26 '27 Girl Scouts, '25 '26 '27 Class Sec'y-Treas, '27

VIRGINIA McKITTRICK

On with the dance Let joy be unconfined!

Athletic Ass'n, '25 '26 '27 Glee Club, '24 '25 '26 '27 Hiking Club, '25 Girl Scouts, '24 '25 '26 French Club, '26

ESTHER McLEAN

The girl, who Bruce has oft'n led.

Athletic Ass'n, '24-'25 '26 '27 Tennis Club, '26 Hiking Club, '26 '27 Glee Club, '24 '25 Debating Club, '27



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REX MONROE

Young Lochinvar is come out of the West.

Athletic Ass'n, '26-'27 (Sec'y-Treas., '27) Senior Class One Act Play Vice-Pres., '27 Walla Walla High School '24-'26 Dwight High School, '25

ELIZABETH MOORMAN

He that will not when he may, when he will, he shall have nay.

Hiking Club, '24-'25 Athletic Ass'n, '24-'25 Girls' Council, '24

EARLE RAUT

Why is this thus? And what is the meaning of this thusness?

Orchestra, '26-'27 Athletic Ass'n, '24 '25 '26 Glee Club, '27

LAMETTA ROBERTS

Blushes may come and blushes may go, But freckles hang on forever.

Senior Play French Club, 26 27 Tennis Club, 26

LALA RYDER

And French she spake ful fayre and fetisly.

Hiking, '24 Girl Scouts, '24 '25 '26 '27 Athletle Ass'n, '24 '25 '26 '27 Orchestra, '25-'26 '27 Senior Play Hockey, '27 Glee Club, '24 Debating Club, '27 French Club, '25 '26 '27

VALERIA SCHLIEPSICK

Clever and neat, tranquil and sweet.

Glee Club, '26 Hiking Club, '26-'27 Sec'y-Treas, '26' 27

FRIEDA SCHNEIDER

Them eyes, them dimples, them lips Oh My!

Glee Club. 224-225 Junior Play Athletic Assin. 24/25/26/27

IRENE SCHNEIDER

Live while you're living—you'll be a long time dead.

Glee Club, '24 Athletic Ass'n, '25 '26 '27

GLADYS SEHNERT

Reason is not measured by size or height.

Glee Club, '24 '25 Athletic Ass'n, '25 '26 '27

BERNARD SCALAN

Virtuous and vicious every man must be,

Few in th' extreme, but all in th' degree.

Tiger Editor Football, '26-'27 Junior Play Athletic Ass'n, '24-'25-'26-'27 French Club, '26-'27 Class Vice-Pres., '26 Operetta, '26

FERN STUDEBAKER

Give thy thought no tongue!

EDWIN SUHRE

WARREN HARRIS

What can I do to be forever known?

Athletic Ass'n Science Club, '25 Glee Club Track, '26





ELMER TAAKE

A nice unparticular man, whose only fault was that he had no fault.

Athletic Ass'n, '24-'25-'26 Glee Club, '27 Junior Class Play, '26 Senior Play

CLARA THEUER

Measured in units she is small, measured in Knowledge she excels all.

Girl Scouts, '25-'26 '27 Athletic Ass'n, 26

HERBERT TITTLE

A girl in hand's worth two in your dreams.

Athletic Ass'n, '27 Basketball, '27 Football, '26 Evansville High School '24-'25-'26

VIRGINIA TUNNELL

Answer me in one word.

Athletle Ass'n, '29-'24-'25-'26 French Club, '26-'27 Hiking Club, '25 Glee Club, '24

HELEN WATSON

We sighed and looked and sighed again.

Glee Club, '26 '27 Athletic Ass'n, '27

LEONE WEBER

Oh Heavens—were man but constant he were perfect!

Glee Club, '24-'25 Athletic Ass'n, '25-'26 Girl Scouts, '24-'25-'26-'27 Hiking Club, '24-'25-'26 Tennis Club, '26-'26

EDITH WEHRLE

No better than you should be.

Girl Scouts, '24,'25 '26 '27 Glee Club, '24 '25 Hiking Club, '24 '25 Athletic Ass'n, '26 '27

CHARLES WENTZ

Let me be known by more than name!

Athletic Ass'n, '24-'25-'26-'27 Glee Club, '27 Boy's Council, '25 Tiger Staff, '27 Operetta, '27 Tennis Club, '25 Senior Play

VIRGINIA WOLF

Mistress of herself though china fall.

Orchestra, '24-'25-'26-'27 Glee Club, '24 Hiking Club, '24-'25-'26 Debating Club, '27-'25-'26 French Club, '25-'26 Girl Scouts, '24-'25-'26-'27 Athletic Ass'n, '24-'27

DOROTHY WOOD

A wee wistful wisp of her family tree.

Athletic Ass'n, '24-'25 '26 '27 Girl Scouts, '24 '25 '26 '27 French Club, '26 Hiking Club, '24 '25 '26 '27 Glee Club, '24 '25 Sec'y-Trens, '24 Class Vice-Pres, '25

IRENE WOOD

A little nonsense now and then is relished by the best of men.

French Club, '26-'27 Athletic Ass'n, '24-'25-'26-'27 Girl Scouts, '24-'25-'26-'27 Glee Club, '24 Orchestra, '24 Hiking Club, '24-'25

MARIAN WOTIER

The daintiest last to make the end more sweet.

Athletic Ass'n, '24-'25-'26-'27 Girl Scouts, '24 (Trens, '25) Glee Club, '24-'25 Hiking Club, '24-'26-'27 (Pres, '27) Debating Club, '27



Class History

SCENE—Mount Olympus TIME—June 15, 1927

CHARACTERS—King Jupiter, Queen Juno, Minerva, Goddess of War, Venus, Goddess of Beauty, Cupid, and also dear old Caesar.

As the curtain is raised they are chatting idly together.

Jupiter (who, strange to say, has a slightly English accent): "I say, y'know, I've just been noticing a bally queer thing down below, don't you know!"

Juno (gleefully—she is a trifle too plump to be playful any more): "Oh, I'll bet I know! It's that unusual Senior Class. They're unusual because they're really remarkable, not only in their own esteem, but in others!"

Minerva: "Yes, they're special proteges of mine; I have given them the determination to fight on against any odds."

Venus: "And so many of the girls—well, they should be favorites of mine. There's a high percentage of beauties in THAT class."

Cupid: "Yes, and they all adore me-'Um-Hum'."

Caesar: "But what class is this? How is it I've never heard of it? Tell me all the details. do!"

Jupiter: "Righto, we'll call in the Historian Olympion. Here, you!" (to a servant) "call Scribilis and tell him to bring his record book."

Enter Scribilis, his halo hanging heavy over his head.

Jupiter: "I say, read the record of that class I was speaking of the other day—the '27 Class of E. H. S., or rather, just tell us about it."

Scribilis: "Well, they entered E. H. S. in the fall of '23. It was also the fall of one of the oldest High School traditions, that all Freshmen are green. They tried hazing them, razzing them, and then decided that after all, greenness, like beauty, is only skin deep. Or maybe it was only the reflection from the walls. The Class spent their first year in getting used to the High School and all the new teachers, and in learning the unwritten law of the classes.

"In their Sophomore year, they were a great deal more brilliant, and already adepts at the art of saying 'prepared' in a class and bearing out the assertion with only five minutes' preparation. They made the orehestra a howling success, and furnished some good raw material for the basketball and football teams. They dug up two good basketball players, each with the peculiar talent of seeming to be in two places at once, because, you see, they were twins."

Jupiter (sottovoce): "Bally good of the old chap to explain it, doncha know! Rathah a clevah way of putting it—"peculiar talent"—"twins". Quite simple, when you understand it, what-what?"

Scribilis (continuing, with a half-pitying glance at Jupiter): "In their Junior year, the High School teams won the football and basketball championships. The '27 boys on the teams did a lot of it, and they were duly appreciated. Then the Class gave their play, 'A Pair of Sixes'. It was a superexcellent-A-number-6½-plus play, according to the Junior Class. In other people's opinions, it really was a good play.

"The Junior-Senior Banquet was held at the Country Club, and everyone tried to act like country gentlemen—and ladies. The dinner was good, the speeches better (short and sweet), and the dancing best of all.

"The Senior pictures were goodlooking, and as usual caused quite a lot of excitement around the school. Unfortunately, Miss Martin was unable to confiscate any as contraband in the English 4-1 class.

"The Senior rings looked twice their price, and at a short distance, or any kind of distance you want, the girls' rings looked like huge solitaires.

"The Tiger Staff chosen by the class was sure to give the time-honored Bengal a 'run for its money'. The Class officers were good ones too, including one of the Favored Five with un-bobbed hair.

"Altogether, they had a 'keen' Class in their Senior year, because most of those unable to keep up had lost out by the well-known eliminations tests!

"Toward the end of their Senior year, the Class of '27——" (But the butler had flown in to announce dinner, and the circle of gods on Mount Olympus broke up and went inside to the usual fare of ambrosia and nectar.

Lala Ryder, '27.

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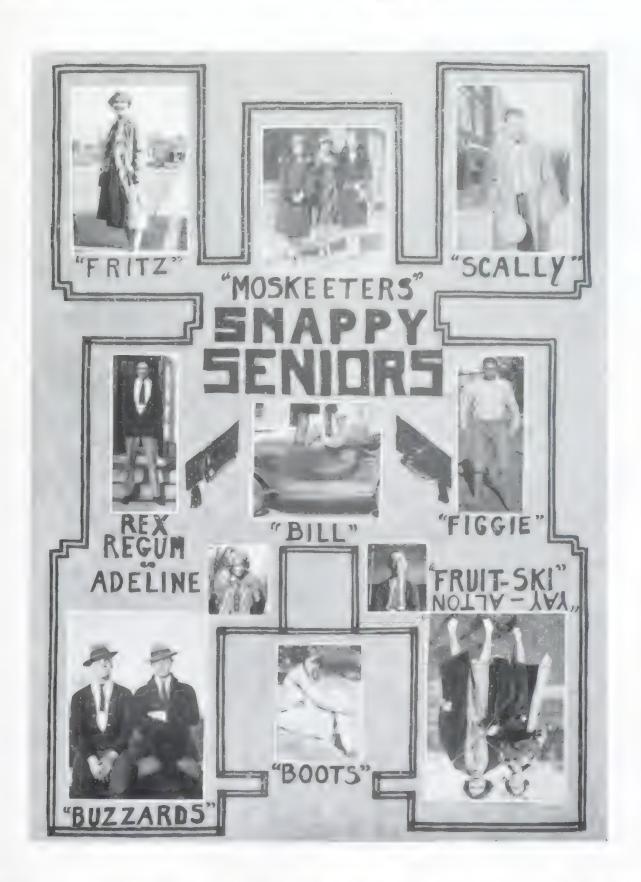
Class Will

We, the class of 1927 of the Edwardsville High School, situated in the county of Madison, the state of Illinois, in realization of the fact that we are about to walk through the valley of the shadow of life, declare this to be our last will and testament. We take occasion, here, to say that no wills heretofore effected by us are valid. We believe we are, in all respects, whatever, much more brilliant than foregoing classes and declare ourselves absolutely sane and of positively charged mental powers.

Here we are, and leaving behind us our most valuable and cherished possessions; we hope to remain in the memories of our younger more unfortunate brothers and sisters, and we will die in peace since we have the assurance that they will carefully guard the things justly falling to them by succession.

We testify to the following bequeathals:

- 1. Rebecca Allen leaves the ripple of her mirth for the outside drinking fountain to express.
- 2. Rex Monroe leaves his wise cracks (if they may be so called) to the nut cracker, i.e., the principal.
- 3. Henry Armstrong leaves his heart breaking career to be carried on by his levely little sister, Suzanne.
 - 4. Beulah Bold leaves her flute-like warble to the E. H. S. Hall of Fame.
 - 5. Emily Berner leaves her broad smile and giggle to Frank Perkaus.
 - 6. Elsie Borman reluctantly allows Mildred Balke to continue the gossip.
- 7. ('lem and ('lyde, the Senior's Pride, bequeath their hard earned trophies to the trophy cabinet.
- 8. Monsieur Gordon Burroughs leaves his Ritzy manners to Gottlieb Schumacker.
- 9. Lauretta Gerne bequeaths her novel "High School Romances" to the E. H. S. magnificent library.
- 10. Mary Eaton leaves her shallow coquetry and vamping to Ruth Whiteside.
- 11. Roy Fruit leaves Georgetta Worden to the tender mercies of Jack Darr and his Ford.
- 12. Charles Erspamer leaves his heart with Miss Martin, or at least she keeps it.
- 13. Hedwig Fahrig bequeaths her surplus weight to Alice Bast, the nymph.
- 14. Paul Hess leaves his altitude at Emmett Kane's disposal, and returns his hypotenuse to the Trig Book.
- 15. Bernard Scalan leaves the extremity of his former name to the student body as a tongue twister.
- 16. Charles Wentz leaves that unearthly (perhaps celestial) chuckle (or gurgle) to Marian Mead.
- 17. Earle Raut leaves many broken hearts and takes much love with him, and that's veritable.





Junior Class Roll

President - - - - - Robert Mindrup
Vice-President - - - - Margaret Moorman
Secretary-Treasurer - - - Georgetta Worden

Ahrens. Edward
Ahrens. Mildred
Arndt. Helen
Aubrecht, Joseph
Baird, Margaret
Baird. Marvin
Balke, Mildred
Ballweg, Mary
Bauer, Bernice
Berleman, Leonard
Binney, Meredith
Birmingham, Norma
Blixen. Mabel
Buhrman, Gilbert
Cassens, Eldor

Chambers, Lyle
Crossman, Thomas
DeCota. Thomas
Doeblin. Kenneth
Eardley, Willard
Eaton, Abigail Ann
Elik, Josephine
Fink, Leo
Fowler, Melba
Fresen, Edward
Frey, Irma
Geers, Alvina
Gerfen, Wilma
Gerhardt, Charles
Gerteis, Janet

Glass, LaVerne
Gedeking, Melvin
Grace. James
Grebel, Joseph
Hartung, Adolph
Hellrung, Cecelia
Henry, Marguerite
Henry, Iola
Henshaw. Verna
Hildenstein. Melvin
Hill, Ruth
Jacobs. Eithel
Jacobs. Laura
Johnson, Joseph
Johnson, Robert



Junior Class Roll

Kane, Emmett
Mack, Sol
Marburger, Emil
Marks, Arlyn
Mayer, Phoebe
McAllister, Josephine
McLean, Donald
Mead, Marian
Meyer, George
Morgan, Helen
Motz, Angeline
Nash, Marion
Nicolussi, Rose

Otto, Florence Phelan, Mildred Rasplica, Arna Rogers, James Rosenthal, Lonita Sager, Hadley Schaefer, William Schaefer, Jessie Shaffer, Ruth Siegel, Arthur Sooy, Edward Spilman, Charles Spindler, Ruth Stahlhut. Esther Stegemeier, Edward Stieren. Gertrude Streif. Clarence Wagner, Harold Walter. Herman Werre, Adolph Whiteside. Ruth Wiley, Nolan Wilharm, Willis Williamson. Robert Wisher, Hugh

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Junior Class History

It was a gray, cloudy day. The threatening weather had kept me indoors. I had been wandering aimlessly seeking some sort of diversion when the ring of the bell brought me to the front door. There stood my favorite aunt. I do not know whether her red hair or her jovial, fun-seeking nature influenced me in this decision, but she had always been my favorite aunt.

I knew by the twinkle in her eyes she had something planned.

"Guess what I've come over here for! We're going rummaging in the attic."

"Oh!" I said, and started on a run for the attic stairs.

When we came to the dusty, cobwebby old attic we stood panting breath-lessly before vigorously attacking the trunks and chests. I thrust my hand into a peculiar looking box and felt a book. Drawing it out, I asked my aunt what it was.

She gave it a look and exclaimed, "Why my dear, that is my 1927 Tiger! The Tiger was our High School Annual."

She seated herself on the edge of a trunk, a dirt smudge on the end of her nose and an atrocious-looking hat at a rakish angle on her head. Seeming to forget me she gazed wistfully out of the window and began to speak.

"We came up in 1924; scared little green Freshies, running around trying to find the elevator to the tenth floor or bothering Mr. Krumsiek to change our Algebra from the second to the ninth period. We were laughable! We all attended the school parties, invariably arriving too early. When the party began we would not join in any of the games but stood around looking on. We passed the year safely and even tried to mock the Seniors the last few months of school.

"Our Sophomore year was quite different. We were a little surer of ourselves. At parties our pep could not be beaten. Beside being such social lions, we were progressing in other ways. Under the supervision of Miss Gewe we published a paper called the 'Tattle Tale'. It meant work, but we stuck to it. In athletics our boys always excelled. They always tried to keep in training, the star athlete keeping in trim by his nightly walks on a certain street!

"Our Junior year was a glorious year. We considered ourselves far above the Sophomores and Freshmen and even began to assume the dignity and infallibility of the Seniors. Our Junior party was one of the best given. Nevertheless these various activities did not keep our names from the honor roll. We belonged to all sorts of clubs and associations. We were a very happy bunch.

"In regard to our Senior year——." Just then my mother called us down for tea. My aunt walked slowly down, reluctant to leave old memories.

— Mildred Phelan, '28.

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Sophomore Class Roll

President - - - Ralph Schneider Vice-President - - - Muriel Schmollinger Secretary-Treasurer - Dale Schneider

Appogast, Ruth
Ax, Helen
Baird, Marie
Bast, Alice
Becker, Mary
Berleman, Willard
Berthoux, Beatrice
Betzold, Ruth
Borman, Mildred
Brockmeier, Donald
Brase, Lydia
Brunworth, Helen
Burroughs, Josephine
Caldwell, Amos
Cassens, Arnold
Chairney, Frances

Coukoulis, Pana
Cunningham, Robert
Damkey, Gladys
Davidson, Roscoe
Dude, LeRoy
Eaton, Henry King
Eberhardt, Paul
Erspamer, Mary
Faust, Edna
Feldman, Leola
Fiegenbaum, Laura
Forshaw, Robert
Foster, Roy
Gehring, Esther
Gerteis, Florence
Gerteis, Frances

Giese, Ruth
Guller, Walter
Hanser, Mary Laurene
Harris, LaRue
Heidinger, Robert
Herder, Lloyd
Keele, Gertrude
Keshner, Charles
Keshner, Frances
Knecht, Eugene
Kriege, Olin
Kuethe, Helen
Lee, Bernice
Loewen, LeRoy
Long, Marion



Sophomore Class Roll

Richards, Ben

Macha, Eleanor
McCormick, Robert
McCune, Edna
Miller, Lucille
Miller, Max
Moore, Edna
Moore, Virginia
Mueri, Leona
Nash, Murrell
Ortgier, Lucille
Perkaus, Frank
Phelan, James
Reeves, Beulah
Reilly, Evans

Rohrkaste. Robert
Russell. Ruth
Schafer. Daniel
Schneider. Ruth
Schumacker. Gottlieb
Seaton, Glen
Shaw. Ruth
Shaffer. John
Shupack, Milton
Sievers. Arthur
Smolek. Marion
Smoltz. William
Snajdr, Edward
Sparks, Harold

Spilman, Robert
Spitze, Roland
Spitze, Alice
Staaf, Arnold
Sullivan, Loretta
Svaldi, Josephine
Trares. Jerome
Voss. Nigel
Walters. Frances
Westbrook. Francis
Westerheide. Artrude
Wood. Alvin
Young, Albert
Zieseman, Harold

Sophomore Class History

At last we're out of Freshmanville. Won't someone please tell our engineer Mr. Dahm to hurry! There—that's better! We're full fledged Sophomores now. Well, let's get settled. It's a long journey to Juniorville.

Please quit yelling, Bob McCormick. This is an intellectual train and all infants are barred. Hold on to Marie and Lucille. They're trying to get out and join the Junior and Senior trains. We wonder why? And don't stop at Collinsville. We might lose someone!

Aren't some people funny? Why everybody in school except the Seniors, Juniors, and Freshmen, know that the Sophomores have the best class. We simply can't understand them.

Let's give fifteen for our class officers—Ralph, Muriel, and Dale. Come on everybody—Yell! Oh yes, of course the E. H. S. cheer leaders are Sophomores—Bobbie and Buddie.

Quit pushing, Ben. You know you haven't conquered Caesar yet so you needn't try to get up to the front coach even if Muriel is there.

If you get right down to it I guess the Sophomores do take the lead in everything. Just look at that Honor Roll. My, we didn't know there were so many Sophomores in school.

What! Hazel fell out while we were crossing the river of matrimony? This is so sudden!

Oh! Here's the long black tunnel of mid-year exams. Why didn't we get in training sooner? These bouts with Caesar and History are simply flooring us. Well, it isn't so long as it might be. The light begins to appear again. Some of us are rather dazed. Guess the smoke was too dense.

And speaking of prominence. Well, the Mayor's son is in our class. And sheiks! One look at Roscoe and you float around in the clouds all the rest of the day.

How did that clown get on this train? He certainly is silly. Oh, pardon us, it's only Henry Eaton.

What is this little hamlet? Oh Yes! "Prep Station." It sounds familiar to some of us. No, Bob Spillman, you don't get off here.

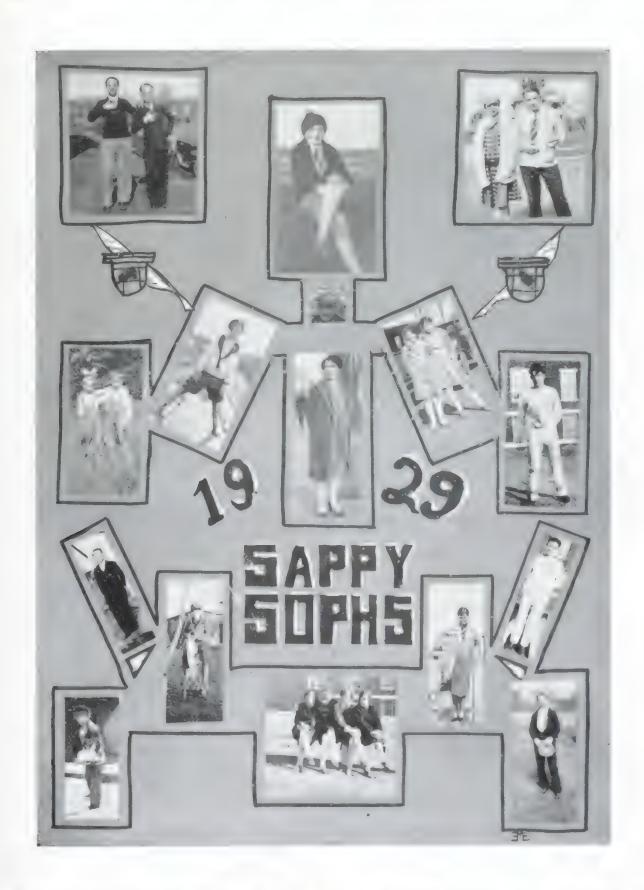
Why are we stopping? Why, for the Freshman-Sophomore Party. There'll be no need to go into detail about that. It's always a snap. Just couldn't be otherwise.

Don't cry about it, Artrude. You can't help it because they don't give more than 100.

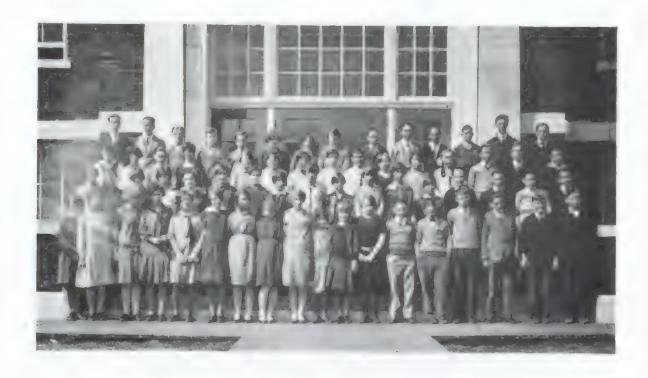
We have twins, too. Jerome—Hubert, and Ralph—Ruth. Look pleasant, children.

Well, here we are at our destination. Juniorville! We do hate to end this journey but I suppose all good things must end sometime. So, everyone out for Juniorville. Don't get left anyone.

-Josephine Burroughs, '29.



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Freshmen Class Roll

President - - - - Calvin Judd Vice-President - - - Martha Sebastian Secretary-Treasurer - - Marjorie Baird

Ackerman. Eva Allen. Pauline Atchison, Arbie Backensto. Bessie Baird, Marjorie Barnsback, Helen Bauer, Harold Beck, Julius Becker, Vera Berdick, Irma Berleman, Irwin Bernasek, Helen Blake. Jule Bode, Gustave Bosomworth, Gladys Brasche, William Braundmeier, Dorene Brockman, Ruth Brown, Lona Buckles, Warren

Burns, Elizabeth Cassens, Albert Catalana, Catherine Colbert, Verna Crossman, Bruce DeConcini, William Dicarlo, Angeline Dickman. Anna Dohle. Martha Darr, Jack Douglas, Agnes Duffy, Helen Dunn, Agnes Eaton, Naomi Eaton, William Emery, Mona Feldworth, Elsie Fensterman. Edna Fowler. Melba Fultz. Gus

Geers, Udell Gilmore. Marcus Goff. Thelma Going, Elma Graf, Rodney Greenwood, Arbie Harmon, Esther Harris, Iris Hartung, Mildred Hellrung, Alvin Henry, Irma Herzog, Florence Hess, Cecil Hildenstein, Betty Hodina, Emma Holtman, Milton Honchak, Mary Hotz. Gerald Hubach, Melvin Judd, Calvin



Freshmen Class Roll

Kane, Hugh Kappler, Rudolph Keiser, Dorothy Kennedy, Ruby Keshner, Hubert Keshner, Jerome Klaustermeier, Frances
Klenke, Emma
Provaznik, Rose
Reichart, Gladys Krumeich, Cecelia Kruse, Edna Kuethe, Elsie Kunze, Marie Louise Langreder, Raymond Leibler, Edna Leitner, Arnold Long, William Love, Mary Meek, Elmer Merkel, Emily Meyer, Lavern Moorman, George Morrison, James

Newton, Viola Owens, Gertrude Paust, Irene Pieper, Ruth Pierson, Laurine Poos, Oliver Rhodes, Gertrude Riggs, Dorothy Rizzoli, Helen Robertson, Dale Sager, Charlotte Schafer, George Schmidt, Alyne Schneider, Audrey Schneider, George Sebastian, Martha Seeger, Alfreda Semon, William Siampos, Trefon Slezinger, Erwin

Smith. Edna Sooy, Ruth Sparks, Walter Streif, Leonard Suhre, Elmer Towler, Ocil Tucker, William Vollentine, Gladys Wagner, Evelyn Wayne, Marshall Wehrle, Roy Weidner, Aurelia Welty, Bertha Williams, Ella Margaret Williams, Virgil Winter, William Wisher, Kathryn Wolf, Charlotte Yehling, Ethel Yindrack, Mildred

The Class of 1930

Our ambitious and self-asserting class entered E. H. S. on September 1, 1926. We were neither timid nor brazen but we tried (and we think we succeeded) in striking the happy medium. Perhaps Latin and Algebra suffered the first few days, but then no one is perfect. After those few days, however, we settled down to work and showed our teachers what we could do.

We were all just waiting for a chance to show everyone what we could do (though only Freshies), when the four one-act class plays were announced. Thanks to Miss Martin's coaching, and her choice of a splendid, hard-working cast, we took the prize, a picture, "A Distinguished Member of the Humane Society," which hangs on the wall of the third floor corridor near 301. This was the first mile stone on our journey along the road to Knowledge and Fame.

We did not emerge from the "War of Semester Exams" without some sears of battle and several casualties. However, we withstood that attack very well in comparison with the complete routes meted out to some of the other fighting units which make up the great army of E. H. S.

In February the "Preps" came to swell our ranks. We must admit that our attitude towards them was somewhat patronizing, since to us veterans (?) they seemed quite green (since this is the new H. S. they could not say it was merely the reflection from the walls). But that feeling soon wore off and we accepted them as fellow members of the glorious old "thirtieth".

Our loyalty to the basketball and football teams was unquestioned and we tried to be good sports (needless to say our support of the tennis and track teams will be equal). We came to fight for recognition and to give the best we have and so far, we have succeeded.

The class as a whole is a fine one and we expect big things of it. So when you are listing organizations which do big things don't forget the class of 1930.

—Martha Sebastian, '30.



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Reminiscence

Tapestry-that's what our school years are like-rare, old tapestry, shot through with colors—gleaming with silver and gold—against a background of black.

Four years of colorful existence—the scarlet, symbolistic of the ardor, eagerness, and ambition truly representative of our athletic events; the jade and saffron of pleasant friendships and happy hours—like the green and yellow of a laughing plot of marigolds; the blue, clear and dazzling, clean-cut, as it were, the blueness of honest eyes, and honest fair lives, and the black, the black of little disappointments and failures, which serves only to intensify and emphasize the sheen and ripple of the reds, greens, and yellows. And the gold, the gold and silver of lofty aspiration, of hopes—yet to be fulfilled like the full golden moon and silver stars out of reach. Our tapestry—our high school years.

A fanciful thought-extravagant idea-a tapestry existing only in our imagination and in our memories—but isn't it glorious, nevertheless, to pore over them as an artist over a dusty masterpiece or a poet over a shabby, rare, edition of Omar Khayyam?

By the Faculty - For the Faculty - Of the Faculty

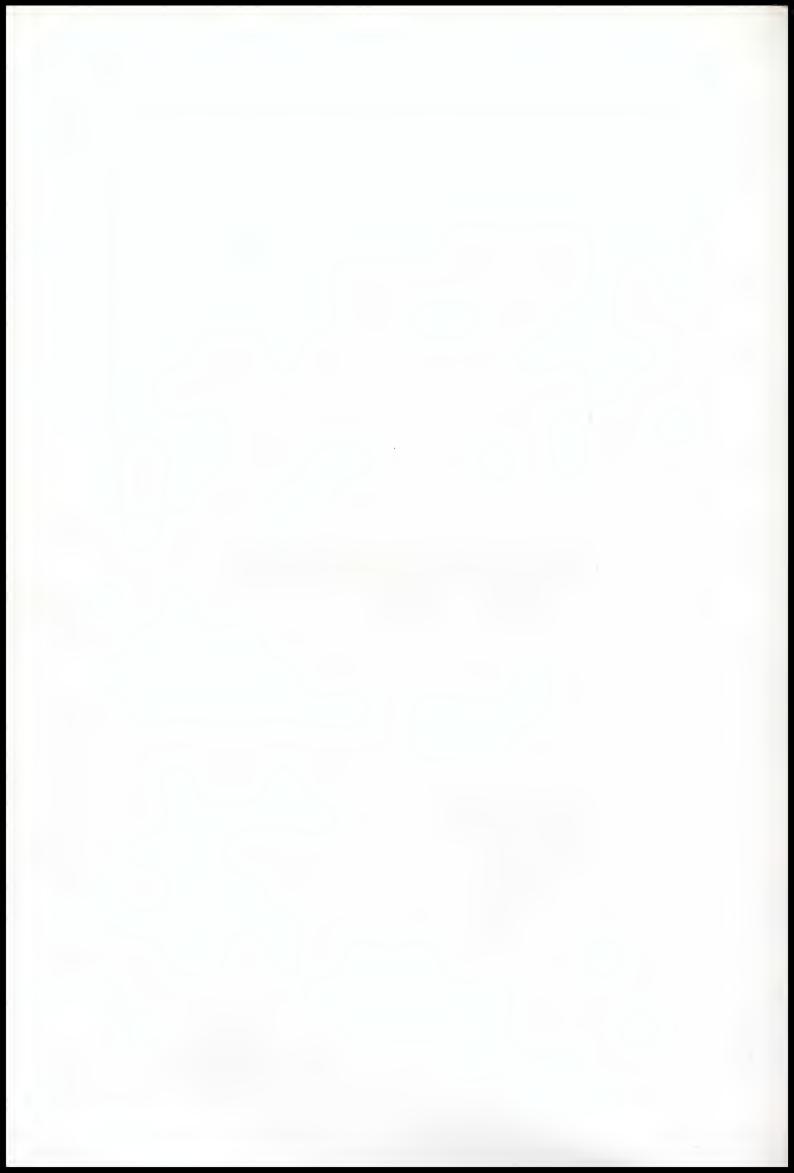
Behold our faculty members! You know them by name, but can you find their names? It's all a great mystery, and you may be in the dark, but get busy and win this BIG (sur) prize which we have in store for you.

- 1. When Eve wanted to taste the apple, Adam said she might.
- 2. That noise must stop or it will make Reuben nervous.
- Did Mr. J. B. Log get tickets for the Junior Play?
- 4. The colored cook said: "Ahm gwine home."
- 5.
- What is the Latin word for bird? Avis.
- 6. The mischievous boys have torn Dick's only sweater.
- What is the real difference between a Tudor and Fordor car?
- 8. Our work will be fruitful if we but do our best.
- 9. Robert laid the shotgun near the stump of the tree.
- 10. If the baby falls off the ledge we will have to call a doctor.
- 11. The new hotel "Brummelchef" fronts on Broadway.
- 12. Eating too many green apples made Jack Rum sick.
- 13. The tanner hurried t' cut the sumac 'n air the leather.
- He bought it at the Delmar Tin Shop in the city.
- 15. He laid his recent illness to liver trouble.
- 16. Don't work there on the step; hens won't lay if you do.
- 17. They took a picture of seven swans on the lake.

-G. E. D.

Book II

CAthletics



LETTERMEN

Season '26-'27

FOOTBALL

Berlemaa Bothman Lamkin Gerhardt Heidinger Scalan Baird Fiegenbaum Snadjr Fink Williamson Bothman Wiley Schaffer, W. Young Hildenstein Erspamer Reilly Cassens

BASKETBALL

Young Gerhardt Lamkin
Bothman Cassens Kane
Bothman
Berleman Tittle

BASEBALL

Duffy Werre Dustman Shaffer, J. Kane Gerhardt Fruit, M. Streif Young Bothman Buckley Ax Fruit, R. Shupack Roubinek Erspamer

TRACK

Young Erspamer Tuxhorn
Gerhardt Buckley Ochs
Ax Macha Harris
Heidinger Fruit, M.

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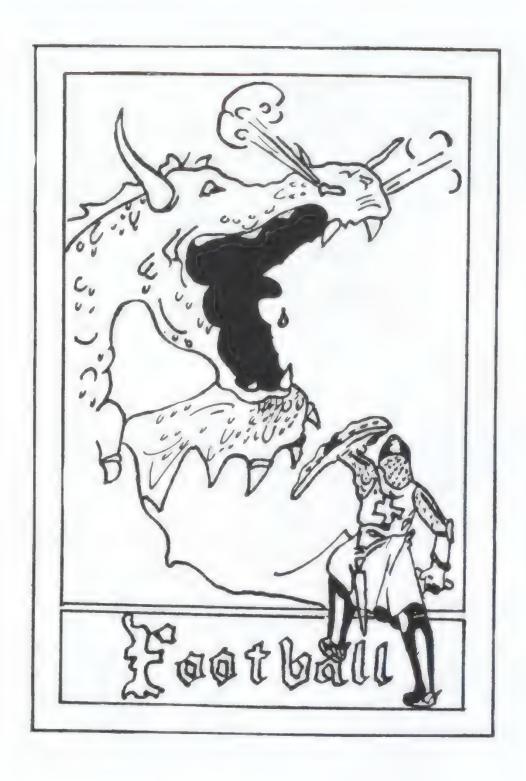
Coach Blodget

Athletics, as a rule, determine the spirit of sportsmanship which prevails in any high school. It is the natural outlet of all inter-scholastic intercourse and activities. The "brand" of athletics which a school encourages and supports is a good indication of the prevailing school-spirit.

The coach, as the instructor and guide of his teams, naturally paves the way for the stand which the school may take. Upon his sense of fair play and sportsmanship, rests the responsibility of determining the general policy of the student body.

Mr. Blodget has not only supported and upheld fair play and clean sportsmanship but has gone far to encourage them. He has trained our teams to win and win fairly and squarely. The victorious teams of the last several years are an open proof of his methods.

We cannot in these few colorless words tell of the appreciation and respect we have for our coach. Nevertheless we deem it proper to mention his unceasing efforts for the betterment of our teams and trust memory will do the rest.





Captain Bothman Fullback

Clyde was chosen to head the Edwardsville Eleven during the season of '26. Never failing to live up to our highest expectations, he led his teams in such a manner as to leave no doubt in the minds of the fans, in regard to the victors. His fighting spirit, in spite of injuries during the Collinsville game, is a shining example yet to be imitated.

THE SEASON

E. H. S. 0	Staunton	
E. H. S. = 9	Litchfield	- ()
E. H. S.—28	Wood River-	_ ()
E. H. S.—21	Belleville	- 9
E. H. S.—13	Alton	()
E. H. S. 33	Jerseyville	- 6
E. H. S. 7	Collinsville	()
E. H. S19	Granite-	_ ()
E. H. S. = 0	E. St. Louis	12

ALL-CONFERENCE MEN

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L.E. Erspamer	E. H. S.
L.TFiegenbaum	
L.G. Kurrus	
C. Bothman	E. H. S.
R.G. Kock	Belleville
R.T.—Darling	Alton
R.E.—Klobucher	Collinsville

CONFERENCE STANDING

	Won	Lost	Tied
Edwardsville	6	1	0
Collinsville	6	1	0
E. St. Louis	5	1	0
Alton	4	3	0
Belleville	3	4	0
Jerseyville	1	5	1
Granite	0	5	2
Wood River	0	5	1

A. C. BACK FIELD

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Gillespie	Col	lin	svi	lle
Sullivan	Е	ast	Si	de
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Football Review

STAUNTONHEREOCTOBER 28.0

Our initial game with the Staunton huskies, played in our own back yard, did not add much to the credit of either team. On the muddy field, both teams played a slow defensive game, marked with many fumbles. Although on several occasions we succeeded in approaching within scoring distance, an Edwardsville safety was the only score until a Stauntonite intercepted a last minute pass and crossed our goal unopposed, for the only touchdown of the day, leaving the score 8-0.

LITCHFIELDTHEREOCTOBER 99-0

Following a week of diligent practice the High School Football team travelled to Litchfield for their first victory. Showing considerable improvement the team out-fought and out-played their heavier opponents.

In the first quarter, Young crossed the opposing goal, with the aid of good interference on the part of Bothman and Heidinger. A place kick completed the score 9-0.

WOOD RIVER THEREOCTOBER 1528-0

After the non-conference victory at Litchfield we opened our Conference season with the Wood River game at Wood River where our team easily outplayed their heavier opponents. Touchdowns were scored by Young and Captain Bothman.

The playing of the men was exceptional, especially that of Clem Bothman and Fiegenbaum. In the second half Coach used 26 different players who gained experience. The game ended with the score 28-0 in our favor.





BELLEVILLEHEREOCTOBER 22 21-9

Mindful of the defeat suffered last year at the hands of Belleville, the local warriors entered this game in a revengeful mood. Scored on and outplayed during the first quarter, the team redeemed themselves by a last minute rally in the second, which left the score 9-7, still our opponent's favor.

In the second half an overwhelming fighting spirit generated by Young and Clem brought us touchdown after touchdown, so that when the team emerged from the mud and water the score remained 21-9 in our favor.

ALTONHEREOCTOBER 3013-0

One day during the rainy season we met the fast Alton team on our own field. Young retained the upper hand in the punting duel the first half.

The second half started with a blocked Alton punt with which Fiegenbaum secured a touchdown. Our team soon pounded its way over for another touchdown and left the score 13-0. Erspamer, our left end, was the outstanding player in this game.

JERSEYVILLEHERENOVEMBER 633-6

Edwardsville beat the overgrown "Orange and Blacks" from Jersey County in an easy game in which Heidinger and Cassens showed at their best. At the half the "seconds" were sent in who immediately aided Berleman feature a 60 yard for a touchdown. In the final moments the opposing gridmen scored a touchdown leaving the score 32-6. Hats off to our understudies!



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COLLINSVILLETHERENOVEMBER 11 7-0

All previous games and victories paled into insignificance when on Armistice Day the Blodget men went to Collinsville to represent the school in its most important game. Early in the first quarter the great crowd of supporters saw our determined spirit ecupled with thorough football go crashing for the one and only touchdown of the day.

Fiegenbaum's brilliant tackling and Captain Bothman's injuries were typical of the deggedness with which our "Tigers" fought. One of the hardest contests of their lives was fought by those twenty-two players on that memorable field.

GRANITETHERENOVEMBER 1819-0

The High School team defended their conference standing on Granite's wind-swept snow-strewn field. Trick plays had no effect on our "Bengals" who rapidly scored several touchdowns. Young's fine runs and Heidinger's line plunges featured the game, which was generally dull and uninteresting, due to the bad condition of the field.

The second team soon replaced the first and when the game ended the score was 19-0.

EAST ST. LOUISHERENOVEMBER 2512-0

The football teams of Edwardsville and East St. Louis clashed on the local field to decide conference supremacy. Players on both teams playing their last game for their Alma Maters expended their best in a heart-breaking contest. On the worst of muddlest fields the game became a struggle in which the luckiest team won. East Side gained a touchdown on a cleverly masked pass in the first quarter. Facing this and other disadvantages our team slowly crumpled until a bad pass from center gave our opponents the deciding touchdown.



Summary

We have endeavored to do justice to all in the previous writeups. We have mentioned several players who at various times featured or stood out conspicuously. Nevertheless these could never have won any games alone without the consistent co-operation of the remaining men. Among these "reliables" Lamkin, Snadjr and Fink stand out foremost, but Gerhardt and Wiley should not be forgotten.

Much credit is due to the entire "scrub" squad who helped whip the team in shape. Among the Senior members of the Scrub, Duffy, Tittle and Fruit narrowly missed gaining their letters. Of the underclassmen, Baird, Williamson, Reilly, and Sager are promising prospects. These are merely a few of the group that toiled daily to train our team into fighting order.

Afterword

Departing from custom this year we have omitted individual write-ups in the sport section. The reason for this is obvious. To the ability of some, fine phrases and colorful adjectives could not do justice, and to that of others they would be exaggerated. So in order to avoid incongruities of this sort we merely wish to say that the men of the teams of '26-'27 deserve an equal portion of credit. Each man attained his standing only because of the co-operation of the rest of the team. Each knows his true value, whether high or otherwise—that should be sufficient. On the team taken as a whole, there were no individual stars, all worked for the common good and were equally good.

A Word from the Captain

The football team of Edwardsville High School has gone through another season adding more laurels to its credit.

From the outset, the team had been handicapped by the loss of much varsity material of last year. The training of raw material to fill the vacant positions was a difficult problem indeed.

The weather man went against us and created another problem. He managed to keep the field in such condition that only one game of nine was played on a thoroughly dry field.

These conditions affected certain games to the extent of even changing the tide of battle from the best team to the luckiest. Taking all these points into consideration, who can dispute that the team of '26 had not been successful?

Out of its total of nine games the team won seven and lost two, one of which was a non-Conference match. It tied for first place with Collinsville after having beaten them in a battle royal. And what's more and best it won or lost all of its games while playing straight clean football!

Captain Bothman.





Captain Young Center

Captaining the team for his second year "Bert" came through with flying colors. A true leader of his men, he set a high example which never failed to produce results. In playing at his position at center he was at all times an inspiration to the team and the fans. As to clean, hard playing he couldn't be beaten!

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E. H. S. 13	Belleville—10
E. H. S.—22	Wood River— 9
E. H. S. 11	Collinsville—21
E. H. S. 20	Jerseyville— 6
E. H. S.—12	Granite—22
E. H. S. 4	E. St. Louis—17
E. H. S.—23	Alton—22
E. H. S. 15	Belleville—11
E. H. S. 18	Wood River-16
E. H. S 7	Collinsville—23

MADISON COUNTY

E.	Н.	S.— 9		Collinsville-	-32
E.	Н.	S.—19	*******	Jerseyville-	-26
E.	H.	S21	*********	Granite-	-12

CONFERENCE STANDING

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	Won	Lost
Collinsville	14	()
East St. Louis	12	2
Edwardsville	8	6
Jerseyville	6	8
Wood River	5	9
Granite	.)	9
Alton .	:3	11
Belleville	13	11

A Word from the Captain

Although the team of '26-'27 has not jumped into prominence by winning a championship or tournament it has proved that it was of championship material.

Working under several disadvantages the team did not get a good start until it was

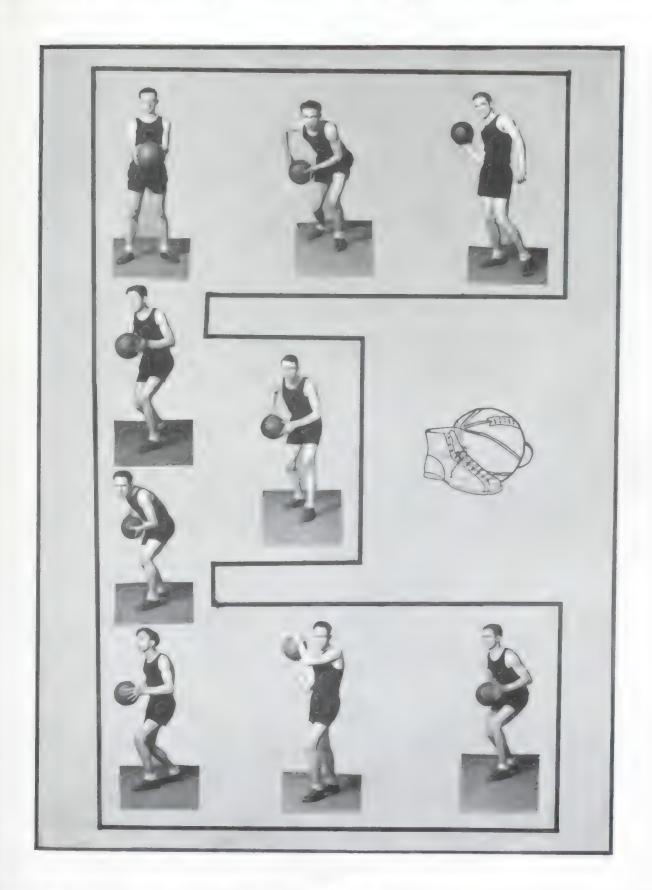
Working under several disadvantages the team did not get a good start until it was too late. Our gym, which is inadequate and poorly equipped was the greatest of our drawbacks. The loss of our veteran guards was another severe blow to our championship hopes. But the greatest of our handicaps this year was non-support of the fans. Only a small percentage of the school turned out to see the team win or lose.

This indifference affected the morale of the team and contributed to several of our defeats.

So while we are building next year's championship team, let's see if you fans cannot decide to give it your presence and unlimited support.

Captain Young.

The Tigers were



and The Tiger was worked

Basketball Review

DECEMBER 10 MT. OLIVEHERE
Our first game with Mt. Olive sadly showed our lack of experience. The team played its best, nevertheless the opposing quintet easily gained and held the advantage. At the end of the game the score stood 20-5 in favor of our more versatile opponents.
DECEMBER 14 STAUNTONHERE
The week following the Mt. Olive defeat was spent in intensive training for the team. Its passing, dribbling and shooting showed considerable mprovement since the fray with Mt. Olive. This game was uneventful and slow but valuable for practice purposes. Although the score was close, we won 10-9.
DECEMBER 17 EAST ST. LOUISHERE
On December 17 we met our Nemesis of the football season on our own basketball floor. The East Side team showed its ability to extend its conquests in all fields by outplaying and out-scoring the locals in a hard-fought contest. Although eager and willing, our men were nervous and missed many passes. In spite of this, their defense was unusually good and succeeded in holding East Side to a 12-8 score. Kane was our high point man.
DECEMBER 30 ALUMNIHERE
The "gym" was filled with eager supporters to see the battle between the "old timers" and the regulars. The fast, interesting game provided plenty of thrills. Although "the stars of another day" led consistently, the team kept their pace and with Kane's fine shots constantly tied the score. In the last lapse of the game, the score being tied, Clyde Bothman and Ahrens both scored completing the score and winning the game, 16-20.
JANUARY 7HERE
The basketball fans of the vicinity were given a generous treat when the Alton quintet clashed with the Edwardsville five on the local floor. Although we led the first quarter, the Altonites gained the lead at the half. This they held throughout the game, which was fast and exciting. The final moment saw Alton in a scant lead until it was broken up by the invincible combination of Berleman, Bert and Kane. The score was 15-14 in our favor when the shot sounded.
JANUARY 11 BELLEVILLE THERE
The team traveled to Belleville for its first out-of-town game, where an easy victory

awaited them. The game dragged along slowly to the end when Belleville almost tied the score. At the last minute Kane slipped in a difficult one making the score 10-13

and our victory.

JANUARY 14..... WOOD RIVER HERE

It seemed like "the old days" when the Edwardsville quintet commenced to drop the ball through the loops from the first whistle in this Wood River game. With an immense lead in our favor, our reserves went in. The game closed—our victory 9-22—Captain Young having 10 points to his credit.

JANUARY 21 COLLINSVILLE THERE

After our Wood River victory, hopes ran high for our chances in the Collinsville contest. The Kahoks started off brilliantly, but the "Bengals" gradually crept up. Collinsville led in the scoring which remained constant until the fourth quarter. Here the E. H. S. defense cracked and Collinsville was able to raise the score to 21-11 (their favor) before the final whistle.

JANUARY 22 JERSEYVILLE HERE

In a game similar to that at Wood River the High School boys gained the advantage from the onset and were able to keep it. The opposing "Orange and Blacks" could not break through our strong detense and were kept down to a 20-6 score. Young's scoring featured the game.

JANUARY 28 GRANITE CITY THERE

In an exciting whirl-wind game our Tigers fell prey to the Granite City "Wild Cats." The game was a thorough see-saw from the first quarter to the last gun. Young led in points but Kane and Ahrens amply demonstrated their ability. With the score tied Granite made their winning basket in an overtime period, making the score 22-20.

JANUARY 29 GREENVILLE HERE

With the Bothman Twins playing their last game in High School, Edwardsville played Greenville in a slow but interesting game. The strain of the Granite City game contributed to our defeat. In spite of the odds, Young and Ahrens were able to score a number of points. We lost 20-8.

FEBRUARY 1 EAST ST. LOUIS THERE

Meeting the East Side team in their second game, E. H. S. had hopes of a victory. In spite of our delayed offense East Side secured and kept a strong lead. The game was strictly theirs until the gun stopped the score at 17-4.

FEBRUARY 5 ALTON THERE

Alton met our warriors in grand style, scoring six points over their heads. Young and Ahrens scored in time to end the quarter. The lead continuously changed hands until Young and Ahrens scored in the final moments to give us a close victory 22-23.

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game. In the over-time period Ahrens scored the winning basket for us. The score was 18-16.

Bert and Kane played their usual game but were not able to prevail against the Kahoks' strong defense. Collinsville played a fine game and won with a score of 23-7.

FEBRUARY 26 JERSEYVILLE THERE

The Blodget men encountered Jerseyville for the second time this year. Unfortunately our team could not get together and many lucky breaks fell to the opposing team who played a faster and more brilliant game. In spite of our defeat, Young and Ahrens played their usual game and contributed their share to the 26-19 score.

MARCH 1...... GRANITE CITY HERE

In a smooth but easy game the "Bengals" met and defeated the Granite quintet by a score of 12-21. Young, Ahrens and Berleman contributed greatly to our score with some fine shots.

MADISON COUNTY TOURNAMENT

Drawing for the Madison County Tournament E. H. S. only succeeded in drawing Collinsville, twice our victor previously, for their opponents. Picked as possible winners the Kahoks justified the choice. The team held their larger and more adept opponents for almost a quarter until Collinsville suddenly forged ahead. Because of the unbalanced score of 32-9 the game was slow and uninteresting.

DISTRICT TOURNAMENT

Jerseyville found us for the first game of the District Tournament. Our boys got an excellent start and were able to keep it without much difficulty. The game was fast and our Tigers increased their score continuously until Young went out on fouls. Jerseyville crept up but our victory was soon assured by the gun. The final score was 26-19.

In spite of our previous victory Alton eliminated us in the afternoon session. We lost the slow dragging game with the score of 13-9.

Summary

How little we are capable of applauding the virtues of our basketball men after seeing the fans do so. But we do hope that the mention of a few incidents will aid the followers of the team of '26-'27 remember the rest. Who could forget Captain Young's versatile playing who truly led his team into action. His numerous field-goals are his credentials. Then Kane the high point star of many games. The seeming grace and ease of his shots is yet to be excelled. This brings us to Ahrens who brought the team out of many a hole. Then to Berleman whose numerous wonder-shots hold us dazed yet.

The Bothman twins need no mention, past that of name, for their playing of three years is that of a pair of perfectly trained veterans who did not forget the basket. Gerhardt and Cassens who took the place vacated by the Bothmans certainly raised themselves high in our estimation by their super-guarding in many a game.

Finally Lamkin and Tittle, our Senior lettermen who ably demonstrated more than passing ability on more than one occasion, could be counted on whenever a sure and steady man was required.

Other Sports Tennis

In the development of the new grounds the Board of Education took care that a fine set of tennis courts should be included. This fact fit in very nicely when the Conference accepted Tennis as a Major Sport and authorized interscholastic competition.

Although Edwardsville High School has previously had Tennis meets with other schools, the real foundation may be said to have started last spring. The doubles team played 7 matches but was too new and inexperienced to overcome any of their opponents. In singles we succeeded in taking a match but this affected our standing but little. The fact of importance is that with the material now in school E. H. S. can hope to develop Championship Tennis teams in the near future.



Track 1926

GRANITE CITY RELAY CARNIVAL

April 17

The first meet of the season in which E. H. S. took part, was held at Granite City. The local team had practiced hard and certainly showed results. The distance medley team took third place in its event; the sprint relay team took second in the 440 relay; and the sprint medley relay team took first place in the Conference sprint-medley race. A small cup was won by winning the Conference medley. This is the first trophy E. H. S. has received in track for fifteen years.

The Carnival was won by Hillsboro with Benld second and Edwardsville third by a total of 18 points.

QUADRANGULAR MEET

Wood River-Granite-Alton-E. H. S.

April 24

The second meet was held at Wood River. The competition was keen in all events but E. H. S. came out on top. After everything had been run off except the relay E. H. S. was 2 3-5 points ahead of Wood River. Our relay team won the event easily and E. H. S. took the meet and gained another cup about 10 inches in height.

McKENDREE INTERSCHOLASTIC

May 1

Each year E. H. S. has been sending about two or three track men to Mc-Kendree to compete in some event. This year however practically the whole team was taken. Captain Young was the only one who was able to score. He took second place in the 440 yard run. Benld won the meet.

SOUTHWESTERN ILLINOIS DISTRICT MEET

For the first time, Edwardsville sent a team to the District Meet. E. H. S. had high hope of winning but luck stood against us. The relay team tied for fourth place and Buckley took sixth place in the mile run. Hillsboro won the Meet which entitled them to go to the State Meet on May 15th.

DUAL MEET

E. H. S. and Wood River

May 15

This meet was scheduled to be a triangular meet, but Jerseyville dropped out so it became a nip and tuck affair between E. H. S. and Wood River. The E. H. S. warriors followed Captain Young's good examples and won the Meet by a score of 60 1-2 to 50 1-2. Captain Young was high point man winning four firsts and tying for third in another. Gerhardt was tied for second honors with Hooper of Wood River, each having 10 points.

CONFERENCE MEET

May 22

Our final Track Meet of the season was the Conference Meet at Wood River. The competition was keen and the result was in doubt for a long time.

East St. Louis finally won the Meet but not without stiff competition from Edwardsville. Young, our captain, was the high point man of the day with a total of 15 points. The E. H. S. Track stars rolled up a total of 26 points to East Side's 40.

Summary

The Track Season of 1926 was the most successful one we have ever had in the Edwardsville High School. This is unusual because of the cramped facilities and lack of equipment. Nevertheless Track is now rated equally with Football and Basketball as a major sport and is gradually gaining in its amount of supporters.

Young, the best and most versatile runner that E. H. S. ever had certainly has contributed much towards the success of our school on the cinder path. Gerhardt, another star of the past year, is no laggard on the distance runs by any means and shows even greater promise for the future. Buckley, Macha, and Ax were other men who were instrumental in the acquiring of trophies. And above all, the relay team, the best we've ever had deserves very much credit. Heidinger, Erspamer, and Ochs were all hard working runners who at all times gave their best.

The number of lettermen with Bert Young at their head and the development of the new Track promises well for the season 1927.

Minor Sports



Baseball 1926

Although baseball is our national sport it is classed as a Minor Sport at our High School. This is probably due to the shortness of the season which terminates with the end of school. At the call for candidates, a goodly number responded of which Coach was able to shape a fairly good squad built around the seven lettermen. The team played seven games of which it won two and lost five.

GRANITE

The team lost their first game to Granite by a score of 5-2 mainly because of inexperience.

WOOD RIVER

We next met Wood River and came off second best to the tune of 10-5. They gained seven of their runs in the first inning.

EAST ST. LOUIS

E. H. S. again fell victim, this time to the powerful "East Siders." the rampage the score was 16-7. COLLINSVILLE

Our losing streak broke with a glorious victory over Collinsville. Our two runs gotten in the first inning were sufficient to beat the rival Kahoks. The score was 1-2.

O'FALLON

O'Fallon was next on our schedule and proved to be a victory. Although quite close, the game went to the Tigers with a score of 1-3.

MASCOUTAH

In attempting to repeat their previous victories, the Bengals fell prey to the Mascoutah nine who gleefully smashed out a 8-6 victory.

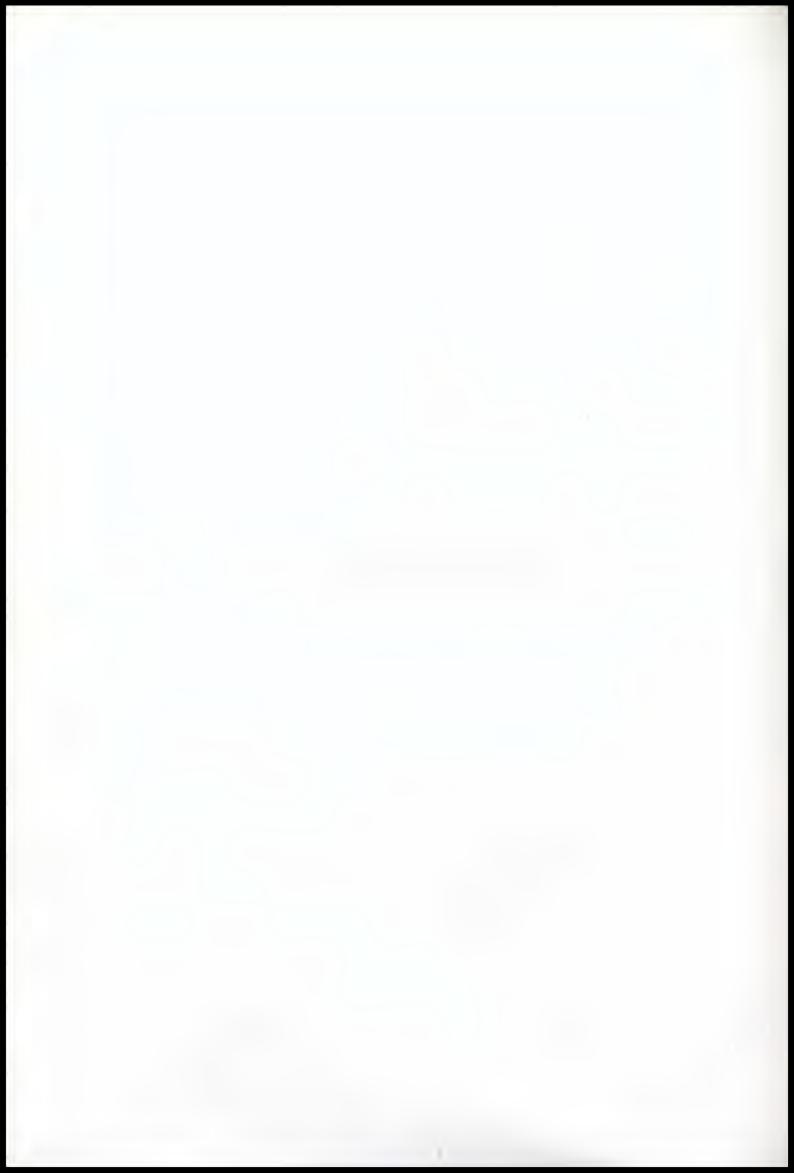
BELLEVILLE

Both teams went on a rampage when the E. H. S. team clashed with the Belleville representation. The scoring was high but we lost, 12-11.

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Debating Team

Miss Macnair, Director



Volley Ball Team

Miss Swanson, Coach

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Josephine Burroughs Frances Gerteis Laurene Hanser



Hockey Team
Miss Fruit, Coach



Junior Play Cast
Miss Stevens, Director



Orchestra
Miss Bridges, Director

Activities

HALLOWE'EN PARTY

Our traditional Hallowe'en party was held at the Junior High gymnasium on Friday, October 30. Most of the attendants were in costume and the prizes that were given were certainly merited. We had no idea our teachers and school-fellows could deceive us so thoroughly. The refreshments served, fitted the occasion and what's more they were ample. But who could eat in such an environment—for the decorating committee surely had done their work splendidly. After the awarding of prizes a few males and the majority of females indulged in the art of terpischore with music by a "home-made" orchestra, who certainly deserved much credit for their splendid rendition.

CLASS PLAYS

Each of the four classes in High School presented a one-act play at the Junior High School auditorium on the evening of November 2, for the dual benefit of the Athletic Association and the Band. A very good performance "The Obstinate Family"—was given by the Juniors. This was followed by "This Way Out," by the Sophomores. Needless to say it did not deserve the name at all. The Seniors in all their dignity and talent next presented "The Trysting Place," in an excellent and captivating manner. Last, but not least, the Freshmen carried off the honor with "The Heart of Pierette" in a very clever and successful bit of acting.

FOOTBALL BANQUET

The Annual Football Banquet was held December 22 at the New High School under the supervision of Miss Heffron and the Cooking Class. Several members of the Faculty and the Board of Education made interesting talks, on various subjects concerning Athletics. The repast was excellent and served in a very becoming manner. All those present professed to have had a very enjoyable time and extended a vote of thanks to the hostesses. After the dinner, there was a short ceremony during which the letters were awarded by Mr. Blodget. A short complimentary talk was made with each award.

"THE GYPSY ROVER"

The Glee Club, under the direction of Miss Bridges gave a splendid oper etta entitled "The Gypsy Rover" on December 9, at the Junior High School Auditorium.

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The well-chosen east of characters, supported by the good work of several choruses, succeeded in achieving a real triumph. Their interpretation and reproduction of the theme of the plot made the operetta thoroughly interesting and amusing. Henry Armstrong as the leading character and Adeline Kriege as heroine certainly justified their choice.

SENIOR PARTY

Acting on the request of many of its members, the Senior Class treated itself to a party all its own, late in the month of November. The feature for the evening was an automobile carnival in which the group designating themselves as "Buicks" won.

A chosen few from each group engaged in a chewing gum "pull" while the rest of us stood around and waited for our mouths to stop watering. After appropriate refreshments "compulsory" dancing was adopted. The boys hope the girls enjoyed it as well as they did!

JUNIOR PARTY

The Junior class yielded to the general agitation and gave itself a treat in form of a party at the gym on the night of January 17. All present agreed in saying that the party was the best given by the Juniors for a long time in spite of its unusually small attendance. After the very appetizing refreshments, dancing took its place as the main feature of the evening.

SOPHOMORE-FRESHMAN PARTY

On the special invitation of the Sophomores, the Freshmen became their guests at a Washington party on the evening of February 23.

Amusing games and contests of various sorts took place in which the faculty were prominent among the winners. Following these amusements came the Virginia Reel—the feature of the evening. Everyone participated and enjoyed himself to the greatest extent. After the refreshments, there was dancing in which many took part until the time set for leaving.

SENIOR PARTY

After the huge success of their previous party, the Seniors resolved to invite themselves to another evening of fun and amusement. The committee provided for the feature of the evening a game called "Senior" which was equally absorbing and appropriate. Forgetting their dignity and demeanor the faculty joined the truant Seniors in what appeared to be a whooping contest, but was only the common method of procedure.

Following the completion of the game innovating and yet substantial refreshments appeared. The class soon resolved itself into a multitude of trippers of the fantastic toe (beginners excepted) in a manner to prove that in spite of all its draw-backs the last year in high school is the best. The party was held on the evening of March 19.

ART EXHIBIT

Following the precedent established in other years, an Art Exhibit was held at the High School during the evenings of March 2-3-4.

The Student Body co-operated with the Faculty in selling tickets and backing the venture. To this, more than anything else, is due the success of the Exhibit.

The benefits will be used to secure the badly needed pictures for our High School Walls.

The success was greatly enhanced by the fact that certain prominent citizens, firms and High School organizations purchased and donated to the School a multitude of pictures. The School wishes to extend its appreciation to all of these and assure them of its gratitude.

TEACHERS' PARTY

The E. H. S. teachers entertained all the Junior High teachers on St. Patrick's eve at the New High School.

There were many novelties during the program consisting of guessing contests, lock step races and other interesting features. Bridge, Bunco and Five Hundred furnished amusement for a greater part of the evening.

The refreshments were extraordinarily delicious and were enjoyed by all. The losers of the lockstep, adorned in green, served the winners also appropriately gowned.

The teachers all united in saying that the party was the greatest success of the kind ever attempted in the history of our High School.

ALL GIRLS' PARTY

The annual Girls' Party was given at the Junior High School gym the evening of March 25.

Various games and contests entertained those present throughout the evening. "The Virginia Reel" occupied the position of prominence until the presentation of "The Gathering of the Nuts." This play was staged under the direction of Mary Eaton, and was intensely enjoyed by all.

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Dancing furnished amusement for the remainder of the evening. Sufficient to say, the refreshments were excellent and contributed much toward the party's success. All present were unanimous in accrediting the party as the "best ever."

BASKETBALL PARTY

Instead of the usual banquet given this year exclusively for the lettermen, the school decided to have a whole school affair. The party was held on Thursday evening, March 31. In spite of the downpour of rain, a very large number attended and enjoyed themselves to the greatest extent. A miniature basketball tournament was carried out to the immense amusement of all entered. The basketball letters were awarded to the lettermen while the cooking class made a special award of a large slice of cake.

Dancing featured the rest of the evening which was confessed to be one of the best ever.

HOCKEY

Girls' athletics have again resumed their former position among school activities with the adoption of hockey. Under the supervision of Miss Fruit the girls have trained to develop a team which may in the future take its place among the varsity teams of E. H. S. In spite of the time and effort spent the girls enjoyed themselves very much and received the benefit of the excellent training. For practice, three teams were organized.

VOLLEY BALL

This year for the first time the High School has had a Girls' Volley Ball Team. Under the able direction of Miss Swanson the girls have taken a great interest in the sport and devoted much of their time to it. The team which is composed mostly of Freshmen and Sophomores practiced hard last fall and they have again resumed their practice this spring. As a result a very promising team for the next year is anticipated.

The Hustlers and The Stars were teams organized.

TATTLE TALE

The Tattle Tale has completed its second successful year of publication under the guidance of the members of the Junior Class. The paper has filled a need long apparent, in regard to a publication that would record the activities in school as they occurred. There is no doubt as to its practical value as a school paper, for it tends to bridge the long gaps between the issues of the Tiger. The permanency of the Journal is practically assured and we hope that it may be able to extend its circulation and frequency, in the near future.

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The success of the monthly is due to the efforts of the editors, Miss Gewe, the Faculty Advisor, and the entire Junior Class who contributed and devoted themselves to its publication.

DEBATING CLUB

The Debating Club is an altogether new activity among High School or ganizations. It was formed under the direction of Miss Macnair who has assumed the responsibilities as coach. The Club has several outside meets under consideration, as the Tiger goes to press. In spite of its inexperience the team proved its mettle in the first meet against the Granite City team by winning the negative side and losing the affirmative by a small margin.

"STOP THIEF"

The Junior Play was given March 28, at the Wildey Theater. It was a success both financially and dramatically. All the players acted their parts splendidly, but George Meyer, Helen Morgan, Robert Williamson and Georgetta Worden were the most outstanding.

Needless to say, Miss Stevens and the entire cast deserved all the credit they received.

The cast was as follows:

-		-		Georgetta Worden
-		-		Abigail Ann Eaton
-		-		Margaret Baird
-		-		- Mary Ballweg
		-		- Helen Morgan
				- Hadley Sager
				Melvin Hildenstein
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"THE LUCKY BREAK"

The Senior Play has not yet been given, but if indications mean anything, it promises to be as great (if not greater) a success than the Junior Play. Miss Martin is directing the cast which is practicing very faithfully every day.

The cast is as follows:

Martha Mullet Mildred Macha
Nora Mullet Beulah Brunworth
Elmine Ludine Smith Mary Eaton
Benny Ketcham Michael Duffy
Abner Ketcham Elmer Taake
Mrs. Barret · · · · Lala Ryder
Claudia Barret Arlene Long
Tommy Lansing Charles Wentz
John Bruce Bruce Fiegenbaum
Charles Martin Charles Erspamer
Jura Charente Irene Wood
Var Charente Henry Armstrong
Bella MacWatt Lametta Roberts
Alchiba Spinster Marian Wotier
Alphecca Spinster Dorothy Fink
Spivins Earle Raut
Tokio Paul Hess
Watkins Herbert Brockmeier





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Jokes

We editors may tug and toil Till our finger tips are sore, But some fish is sure to say "I've heard that joke before."

Helen M.—"Oh, what shall I do, I just swallowed some mercury!"

G. Meyer—"Sit on the radiator—that ought to make it rise."

Mr. Dahm—"What a broad mind you have; it should be on a man's shoulder."
"Gin" McK.—"It often is."

Mr. Gunn-"What is dust?"

Mil Ahrens—"Dust is mud with the juice squeezed out."

Earle R .- "How could I live without brains?"

Mr. Blodget-"That remains to be seen."

Miss Adams—"Later we shall take this subject up by detail."

Beulah Bold—"That's the way I used to take up my kittens."

"Dude" Hanser—"What finely chiseled lips you have—they ought to be on a girl."

C. Bohm-"I seldom miss a chance."

ON THE JANITORS

John—"I started as a barefoot boy."
"Shorty"—"Well, I wasn't born with shoes on."

Spindle had been looking over the cards of greetings on the counter when the saleslady suggested: "Here's a lovely sentiment—'To the only girl I ever loved'."

"That's fine," said Spindle, brightening, "I'll take five—no, six of those."

Mr. Gunn—"Michael, can you tell us what light is?"

Mike—"I—er—I knew but I can't recall just now."

Mr. Gunn—"How tragic—all the physicists failed and here one brilliant young man discovers and forgets."

Lefty—"Where's the proprietor of this restaurant?"

Trefon-"He's gone out to lunch, sir."

Irene W. (very coyly)—"Oh, hello ." Clem—"Hello. How's my girl today?" Irene (enthusiastically)—"Oh, just

Clem (brutally)—"How do you know?"

Gen. McKee (to farmer)—"My car is stalled. Do you have a spare plug?"

Farmer—"Sorry, lady. I don't chew but I got an old cigar I kin give you."

R. Snider—"See that femme I was dating Saturday? She's a train robber."

R. Davidson-"A train robber?"

R. S.—"Yep—she invented the short skirt."

Earl R.—"Teacher, do angels ever have hot parties?"

Teacher—"Why, Earle, who ever did put those words in your mouth?"

Earl—"Well, our physics prof said that ethereal bodies dissipate most of their energy in the form of heat."

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Henry—"What are you stopping for?"
Taxi Driver—"I heard the young lady say 'stop'."

Henry—"Well, she wasn't talking to vou."

Miss Martin—"I didn't give you permission to speak."

Tommy C.—"Say, I didn't ask for it. did I?"

Mable B.—"Doc, dear, you remind me so much of a Ford."

Doc-"How's that?"

Mable-"Your clutch is so different!"

Geo. Meyer—"I scored the winning touchdown last Saturday."

Marian M.—"Why how lovely. I didn't know you played football."

Geo.-"No, but I keep score."

"Virg" T.—"And I can wear this coat out in the rain without hurting it?"

Fur Salesman—"Madam, did you ever see a skunk carrying an umbrella?"

"Why the shaving soap on the vest?"
"That's my class pin, I'm from Williams'."

Ben R.—"I think our lips are parallel, don't you?"

Muriel S.—"I don't know, why?"
Ben—"Because they never meet."

Ruth Whiteside—"Why don't you and 'Spindle' make up after your quarrel?"

Georgetta—"I'd like to, but I forgot what we quarreled about."

Doctor (to Emily)—"You certainly have acute appendicitis."

Emily-"Oh, doctor, you flatter me."

Tommy D. (just after his first shave)
"Er—how much do you charge?"

Barber "A dollar and a half."

Tommy—"What? How's that."

Barber "I had to hunt for the beard."

Hedwig F.—"Can you drive with one hand?"

Clyde (eagerly) - "Yes."

Hedwig-"Then pick up my glove."

Valeria S.—"What kind of a fish has its eyes set close together?"

Edith W .- "I'll bite."

Valeria-"A little fish, of course,"

"Bob" S.—"Every girl without exception must always contradict."

"Jo" B.—"That's not true."

Miss Macnair—"We'll now name some of the lower species of animals starting with Willard Schneider."

Mr. Gunn—"What is the next element you are going to analyze for me?"

Sol Mack—"I know it, sir, it's on the tip of my tongue."

Mr. Gunn—"Well, don't swallow it; it's arsenic."

Miss Fruit "Order please."

Hadley Sager (absent-mindedly) · · · "Egg sandwich."

Mr. Krumsiek (in Public Speaking)— "What is the matter with you, Gordon? Be more enthusiastic. Open your mouth and throw yourself in it."

Found on Marshall Wayne's registration card:

Question—Give your parents' names. Answer—Mamma and Papa.

Harold Sparks—"I worship the ground you walk upon."

Frances K.—"Never mind the ground.
Give me a little more attention."

C. Wentz—"What makes you think your love is so flaming?"

Roy F.—"I'm a match for any girl I meet."

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Miss Adams—"Caesar sic dicat on de cur and egesse lictum."

Bud W. (translating)—"Caesar sicked de cat on de cur and I guess he licked 'im."

Murrell Nash (handing out peanuts)—
"Have a Nut?"

Edna S.—"Oh, this is so sudden!"

"Jetta" W.—"Say, that East St. Louis team sure is clumsy."

Jo. McA.—"Why do you think so?"

G. W.—"Why every time one of our men starts to run they get in his way."

Bob Mc.—"Is this a fast street car?"
Conductor—"Of course it is."

Bob—"I thought so, would you mind getting out and see what it's fast to?"

Bill Schaefer—"How did you explain to father that you are taking history again?"

Sooy—"I simply said, 'History repeats itself'."

Lyle C.—"What do you think of my voice?"

Miss Bridges—"Caruso was good but you are better—STILL."

Lametta R.—"Would you kiss me even if I told you not to?"

Nolan W.-"Sure."

Lametta R.—"Goody, Now I can mind my mama."

Mrs. Dudey—"Where's the cow, Leroy?"
Leroy—"I can't get her home, she's
down by the R. R. tracks flirting with a
tobacco sign."

Dentist—"Awful sorry, sir, but I just tore off a piece of your gum."

Ervin E.—"'at's all right, just stick it under the glass, I'll get it as I go."

Mindrup—"Bert sure has tough luck."
Mil. P.—"Howzat?"

Mindrup—"Why, during the track meet he broke the best record they had in school."

M. Wotier—"Say, what does your mother feed you on?"

Joe Johnson-"A table."

Henry—"May I see you pretty soon?"
Ruthy W.—"Don't you think I'm pretty now?"

Marg. B.—"Have you read 'Freckles'?"
Marvin B.—"No, mine are brown."

Sammy S.—"What do you call a man who drives an automobile?"

Elmer Taake—"It depends on how close he comes hitting me."

You've all seen furnaces go out and a drumstick, but you're not really well informed unless you've seen a midnight frolic.

Helen W.—"Why does Lyle wear his hair so long?"

Clara T.—"So that he can create the impression that his brain is fertile."

Bernice L.—"Did you hear the new Eskimo story?"

Irene S.-"No."

Bernice L.—"F'reeze a jolly good fellow!"

Miss Oliver—"What do you know about Czecho-Slovakia?"

Gotlieb S .- "It's hard to say."

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Mr. Dahm "Lenard, what is a vac-

"Lenny" B.—"I can't think of it just now, but it's in my head."

Miss Martin—"Does the moon affect the tide?"

Dot. W.-"No ma'am, only the untied."

Adeline—"Isn't that a divine part ('hink has in his head?"

"Boots" Bold—"That's not a part.
That's where the marble cracked!"

A young man walked down the street, one shoe off and his coat turned inside out. A policeman stopped him.

"What's the idea?" he demanded.

"Well, you see, it's this way," replied the young man, "I'm taking a course at a correspondence school and yesterday those darn sophomores wrote and told me to haze myself."

"Toots" — "Why does Henry always wear his cap at such a rakish angle?"

Lala R.—"To drain the surplus water off his brain."

Miss Macnair—"Ocil, how many bones have you in your body?"

Ocil-"Nine hundred."

Miss Macnair—"But that's a great many more than I have."

Ocil—"But please teacher, I had sardines for dinner."

New Hotel Arrival—"Can I have a private bath?"

Clerk-"I hope so, madam."

Lauretta Gerne—"Did you miss me when I was gone?"

Henry-"Oh, were you gone?"

"Toots" Weber — "That fresh Earle Raut just tried to kiss me. Said he never kissed a girl before."

Marion Smolek—"What did you do?" "Toots"—"Told him I was no Agricultural Experimental Station."

Guller—"You're so tight you don't wear rubber heels because they 'give'."

Kelly Judd—"Well, I'm told that at your house they cook bacon in Lux to keep it from shrinking."

Elmer Taake—"Let's go to the show tonight."

Willis W. "Nope, only got one more day to finish reading my Sears Roebuck ('atalogue."

Taake-"How come?"

Willis W.—"The wrapper said 'Return in five days,' and tomorrow's the last day."

Mr. Dahm—"Do you know Lincoln's Gettysburg address?"

Lenny B.—"I thought he lived at Springfield."

Adolph (ardently) "Ye gods and little fishes! How I love you!"

Adeline—"I wish you'd leave your pets a while and pay more attention to me."

Teacher—"What great law is Newton credited with discovering?"

The Class (in unison)—"The bigger they are, the harder they fall."

Father Kangaroo—"Where's the baby?"
Mother Kangaroo (feeling in pockets)
"I guess I must have left it in my
other clothes."

He—"Please, just one kiss."
She—"I tell you I'm an iceberg."
He—"Well, then let us."

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Jack Darr—"I'm awfully sorry, but you see, I'm a professional."

Miss Stevens—"Your answer reminds me of Quebec."

Ram Werre—"How come?"

Miss Stevens—"It's founded on a bluff."

('lem-"No, I don't want a large picture."

Photographer—"All right, now close your mouth."

Miss Adams—"Everything that is said to you, goes in one ear and out the other"

Kennith D.—"Oh, is that why I've got two ears?"

Charles E.—"What's that bump on the front of the car?"

Clyde—"Oh, the radiator just had a boil."

Bruce F.—"What is your idea of the tightest fellow in school?"

E. Reilly—"The fellow who won't take a shower because it soaks him."

Miss Adams—"Translate 'II fugit'."

Bob W.-"Male Insects."

Miss Adams-"What?"

Bob-"Sure, 'he flees', aint it?"

Sparky-"Oh, I can't see!"

Satchel-"What's the matter?"

Sparky-"I got my eyes shut."

Judge—"Ten days or ten dollars—take your choice."

Bill Curtis—"I'll take the money, your honor.",

Keshner No. 1—"The girl I go with must have lots of personality."

Keshner No. 2—"I like 'em fat too."

Warren H. (after eating lunch)—
"Here is a pin for you Miss Heffron."

Miss H.—"Thank you, Warren, where did you find it?"

Warren—"Well, you see I found it in the beans."

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Gunn (teaching in chemistry)—"What is gun-cotton, Robert?"

R. Williamson—"Gun-cotton is what soldiers put in their ears before they shoot off their guns."

Miss Heffron—"Name three articles that contain starch."

Marjorie B.—"Two cuffs and a collar."

Miss Gewe (to Charlotte S.)—"Do you like English?"

Charlotte-"Yep."

Miss Gewe-"Why?"

Charlotte "It's all I can speak."

Melba Fowler—"Do you know that I have the soul of an artist?"

"Toots" W.—"I knew you painted the minute I looked at your face."

Fern S.—"Why, Doctor, you told me to show my tongue, but you haven't even looked at it."

Doctor—"No. It was only to keep you quiet while I wrote the prescription."

Lucille M.—"I almost got killed twice today."

Laurene H.—"Once would have been enough."

"Could you learn to love me?"

"Well, I learned to speak Polish."

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"How did you get that black eye?"

"Trying to neck a strange girl in a tunnel."

"Well?"

"She wasn't a girl."

"He done me wrong," wailed the algebra problem as the Freshman handed in his exam paper.

Hadley—"How long can a person live without brains?"

C. Spilman—"I don't know. How old are you?"

Ruth Hill—"Would you like to see where I was vaccinated?"

Kelly J. (eagerly)-"Yes."

She (passing hospital) — "Right in there."

Charles E.—"Don't spit on the floor."
Mike Duffy—"Why, does it leak?"

The woman was trying to buy some crocodile skin shoes.

"Are you sure that this is a genuine crocodile skin?" she inquired.

Millie S. "Absolutely. I shot the crocodile myself."

"But it is badly soiled."

Millie—"That's where it hit the ground when it fell out of the tree."

Miss Adams—"I take great pleasure in giving you an 85 in French."

Rex—"Why didn't you give me a 90 and enjoy yourself entirely?"

Lee L.—"I know where you can get chicken dinners for ten cents."

Tittle-"Where?"

Lee-"Down at the feed store!"

Mil M.—"That man is always setting traps for his wife."

Irene S.—"Jealousy, I suppose."
Mil—"No, mice."

Mr. Gunn—"What can you tell us about nitrates?"

"Satchel" S. — "Well—they're a lot cheaper than day rates."

M. Hildenstein—"Who was the peach I saw you with last night?"

M. Baird—"That was no peach—that was a grapefruit."

M. H.—"How come?"

M. Baird—"I squeezed her and she hit me in the eye."

Mr. Krumsiek (in review)—"Now as we go along make a note of everything you don't know." (Then seeing Gordon B. busily writing) "Gordon, what are you doing?"

Gordon-"Copying the index."

Little Boy (running into church) "I don't see any rails."

Decorator-"Rails for what?"

Little Boy-"Rails for the bride's train to run on."

"What a large O. D. handkerchief you have!" exclaimed the flapper who was visiting an army camp.

"Handkerchief nothin'!" said Kenny D.
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Dale Schneider — "Well, my name's Heintz."

"Where are you going, Emily?"

"Downstairs to get some water."

"In your nightgown?"

"No, in the pitcher."

Ben S.—"Why don't you drown your sorrow, ol' man?"

Bruce F.- "Aw, she can swim."

Miss Swanson—"Tell me, have any big men ever been born in this city?"

Frieda S.—"No, ma'am, only babies."

('harlie G.—"Would you mind if I kissed you?"

(No answer.)

"Would you mind if I kissed you?" (No answer.)

Janet G.—"Say what do you want me to do, promise not to bite?"

Arlene Long—"Why don't they wash baseball suits oftener?"

Herbert B.—"It wears out the spikes."

Virg. Wolf—"Don't you hate crowds?"

Mary Eaton—"Do I? At the last football game I fainted and had to walk three miles before I could fall down."

LeRoy Loewen—"I'm raising a mustache: what color do you think it will be?"

Henry Eaton—"Grey, at the rate it's growing now."

Leo Fink—"Hey! Sit down in front!"
Alice Mansfield—"Quit yer kiddin'. I
don't bend that way!"

Then there's the absent-minded farmer who hitched his wife up to the plow and kissed his horse goodbye.

Eldor Cassens—"I'm going to kiss you every time a star falls."

lola (ten minutes later)—"Say, you must be counting lightning bugs."

Gladys S.—"Do you like brains?"

James Grace—"I don't know; I've never had any."

Helen Watson—"What's that you wrote on my paper?"

Mr. Dahm—"I told you to write plainer."

Oliver Poos—"If I kiss you this once no one will be a bit wiser."

Jessie S .- "Oh, yes they will."

Oliver-"But who?"

Jessie-"You, next time."

Rex M.—"I wish I knew someone well enough to go to the dance."

Ruth H.—"What's the matter with me? I'm not sick."

Jimmy P.—"I saw a wild party yester-day."

Florence G.—"Where?"

Jimmy—"Out at the asylum."

Helen B.—"Would you wear a rented bathing suit?"

Helen Brady—"It depends on where the rent was."

"You give me a pane," said the window sash to the glass mine.

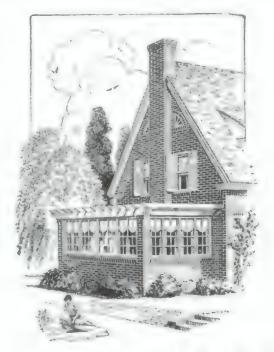
"Chink" K.—"Do you think that plastic surgery would improve my features?"

Margaret M.—"No."

"Chink"—"Then what do you suggest?" Margaret "Blasting."

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September

- 1 School days, school days, Dear (?) old golden rule days, etc.
- 3 102 in the shade.
- 7 Library opens with usual rush.
- 8 Tennis tournament begins.
- 9 Rings and pins arrive.
- 13 Girl Scouts, Troop I, organize.
- 14 Domestic Science Department manufacture ketchup.
- 15 First meeting of Glee Club.
- 16 Dale Schneider, tennis winner.
- 17 Have Bert and Jessie leased the east stairway?
- 21 Freshies politely informed that "silence is golden."
- 22 Hockey sticks are here. Hard knocks? Well, yes!
- 23 Class elections. Who said it didn't rain?
- 24 Football suits have come. Practice begins in earnest.
- 28 Hats off to M. Duffy, our new AA president.
- 29 First meeting of Staff. Ready, set, go!
- 30 Rain, Rain, Rain!

October

- 1 Still raining! Who cares?
- 2 Staunton here. We lost, 8-0
- 4 Blue Monday!
- 5 Miss Stevens wears new diamond ring.
- 7.8 Teachers Institute. They abhor it. Ha! Ha!
- 9 Score 9-0. Litchfield lost.
- 11 Something else to worry us. Cards are due!
- 12 Some are going to study for a change. At least they are taking their books home.
- 13 Hockey "field" moved to Wolt's "pasture".
- 14 Girls' Weiner Roast.
- 15 Senior Girls' Bake Sale.
- 16 Football team plays "cinder" game at Wood River. We won by 28 points.
- 18 Seniors hold class meeting.
- 19 Nothin' doin'.
- 20 They will persist in giving us a holiday.
- 21 Wrists, shoulders, collar bones. Two more men out!
- 22 Eligibility takes its toll.
- 23 Belleville 9-Edwardsville 21.
- 25 October issue of Tattletale out.
- 26 Miss Martin to Adolph on chair, "Sit down on all four legs."
- 28 Senior "proofs" received.
- 29 Alton 0-Edwardsville 13.
 - Hallowe'en party huge success.

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- 1 Giris' Council Meeting.
- 2 Freshmen get honors for class play.
- 3 "Honor" roll on bulletin board.
- 1 "Operetta" parts assigned.
- 5 Winter has come with its moth balls.
- 6 Jerseyville 6—"Us" 32.
- 8 Exchange of "gem" photos flood school.
- 9 Mr. K. holds important conference with "flunkers".
- 10 Talk on Armistice. Shoes and guns all slicked up.
- 11 Collinsville 0-Edwardsville 7. Hooray!
- 12 C. of C. Delegation speak to pupils.
- 13 Junior Bake Sale.
- 15 Mr. Blodget wants to know when the Los Angeles ran down the Mississippi. Won't someone kindly inform him?
- 16 45 below zero in the sun.
- 17 Sleighs used instead of autos today.
- 18 Tickets out for big game.
- 20 I told you so. Granite 0-"Us" 19.
- 22 Miss Martin to Chid G., "Run up the curtain, won't you?"
- 23 Mass meeting in lower corridor.
- 24 Fiegge winner of silver football.
- 25 East Side 12 "Us" 0. Bitter defeat sweet receipts.
- 29 Some "Tales" out this time.
- 30 Senior party.

December

- 1 Doc. Heidinger elected '27 football captain.
- 2 Library privilege taken from "The Chosen Few".
- 3 Salvation Lassies trained for drive.
- 6 Radiators on strike.
- 7 Basketball schedule posted.
- 8 Cards today. More flunkers than ever searching for "Sea of Knowledge".
- 9 "Gypsy Rover" a "raving" success.
- 10 Basketball season opens. Mt. Olive 20 Edwardsville 5.
- 11 Sophomore Girls' Bake Sale.
- 13 It's happened. 13 typing pins awarded.
- 14 Staunton 9—"Us" 10.
- 15 New members initiated in French Club.
- 16 Pep Meeting. Will we win?
- 17 East Side 12—"Us" 8.
- 20 Girl Scouts, Troop I, have Christmas party.
- 21 Demonstration of "liquid air".
- 22 Football letters awarded.
- 23 Hiking club carols.
- 24 Christmas comes but once a year.

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January

- 3 Talk about peacocks! Did you see the new football sweaters?
- 4 Debating Club agrees to disagree.
- 5 Warning out to plaster breakers.
- 7 Alton 14-"Us" 15. What a game!
- 11 Belleville 10-13,
- 13 Emily decided to give up cheering. It's a hard life.
- 17 Juniors have "coming out" party.
- 18 Wedding chimes ring for Hazel Varner.
- 21 Kahoks 21 Edwardsville 11.
- 22 Jerseyville 6-Edwardsville 20.

First casualty of the season. B. Langreder breaks a limb,

26-27 Tests.

- 28 Granite 22 "Us" 20.
- 29 Who won? We didn't.

February

- 1 Thirty-seven Preps join our forces. Ask them how they like it.
- 2 Two of our comely Sophs leave for parts unknown.
- 5 They didn't go so far; only to St. Louis. Cold feet?
- 6 Speedy? Not much. Alton 22-23.
- 8 Have you seen Miss Gewe's new Ford?
- 9 Belleville 11-15.
- 10 Tiger Staff present statements. Skally would make a "lovely" public speaker. He is so bashful.
- 11 Wood River 16-18.
- 18 The mighty Kahoks bring home a silver scalp.
- 22 Historians, take notice! George Washington honored in Radio Program.

March

- 1 Enter: A roaring Tiger with a score 23-11 at Granite.
- 2 Freshmen and Sophs entertain faculty with barn dance.
- 1 "Stop Thief".
- 5 We were so afraid that someone had stolen Miss Stevens but she came back this morning.
- 12 Madison and East Side Tournament winners. Remember how it felt last year?
- 17 St. Patrick himself would have been surprised at the Teachers' Frolic.
- 18 Mr. Blodget receives a pretty handkerchief from unknown (?) admirer. His birth-day? I think not!
- 19 Orchestra wins prizes at Senior Party. Just goes to show you have to know how to do it
- 26 Seems as though the students do nothing but attend parties. Upper class girls entertain Preps.
- 28 "A Lucky Break" cast announced. What's the joke?
- 30 Tiger starts for press.

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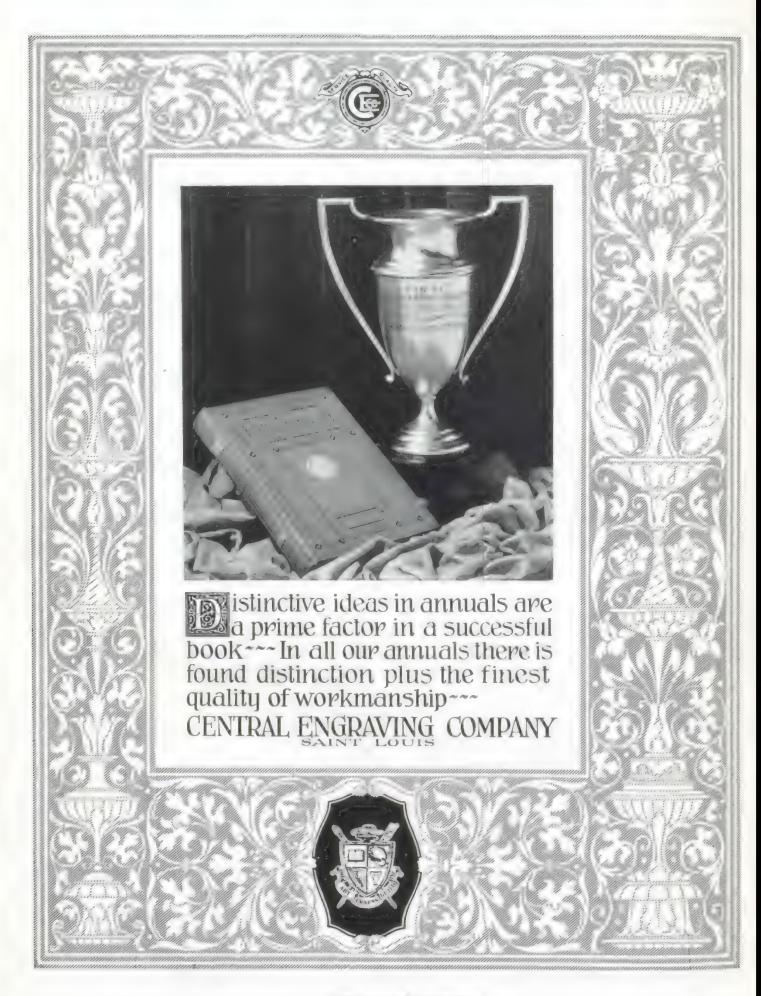
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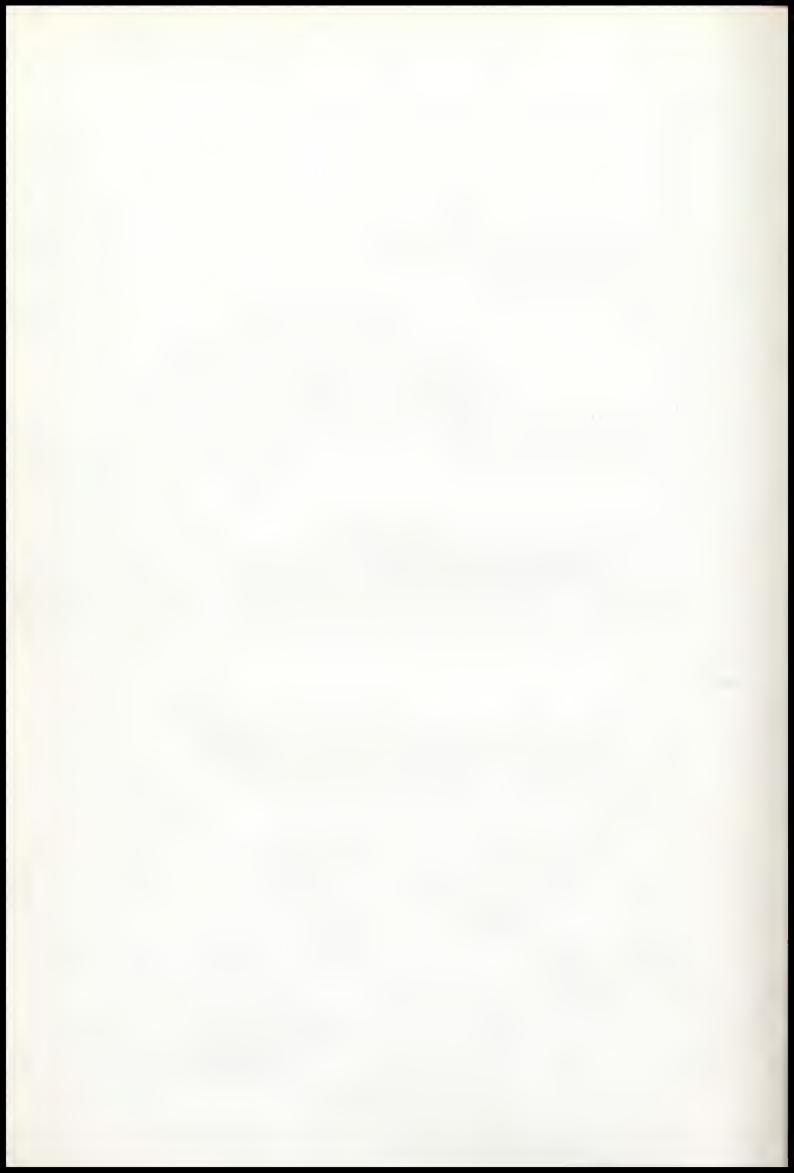
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